

Tax Sale List In This Issue

This edition of the Avalanche contains the Michigan State Treasurer's petition to the Circuit Court in Grayling asking for authority to sell at public sale various parcels of land in Crawford County that are alleged to be delinquent for taxes in 1981 and prior years.

The petition includes a listing and description of such real estate parcels. The petition also asks the court for a decree designating the first Tuesday in May at 10 a.m. as the time of sale of such properties delinquent for 1981 taxes.

Also the petition instructs persons who desire to contest liens for taxes, interest and charges to file their objections with the clerk of the court on or before the first day of the court's April term.

The tax list will appear in this and the next two issues of the Avalanche.

Suspect Arrested In B & E

A 30-year-old man has been arrested in connection with a South Branch breaking and entering and warrants for two 18-year-old men have been issued. The burglary took place March 6 around 3 a.m. at a residence along Pine Road. A shotgun, television, and coins were recovered by the Crawford County Sheriff Dept. on March 9. The suspects were scheduled to be arraigned in 83rd District Court March 13.

Organ Procurement Meeting Mar. 15th

On March 15th, the Lion's Club will sponsor a Community Awareness night, the "Gift of Life". The program will be presented by the Organ Procurement agency of Ann Arbor, and will be held at the Holiday Inn at 7:30.

Local clergy and a physician as well as a representative of Mercy Hospital will be on hand for a question-answer period. The Transplantation Society of Michigan, Ann Arbor, may be called at 1-800-482-4881, for 24 hour information service.

Travelogue March 22

Modern Day Explorer To Appear In Grayling

On Thursday evening, March 22, explorer Romain Wilhelm will be appearing in the Grayling High School Auditorium narrating in person his exciting film "Peruvian Adventure". Mr. Wilhelm will be appearing as part of Grayling's current Travel and Adventure Series sponsored by the Community Education Dept. Doors to the auditorium will open at 6:45 and the film will begin at 7:30. Tickets will be available at the door.

Romain Wilhelm is a bonified explorer, one of the very few in the world today, and his success has been phenomenal. He has not only found lost cities, missions and forts, but treasure, weapons of war, and Spanish Conquistador armor that has not been seen by white men for centuries. Of course, this legend hunting has cost him much personal danger. Once in the summer of 1960, Romain almost didn't make it. He and a small party of natives in a bus were held up by three bandits. Though he was shot in the side, Romain Wilhelm managed to kill one of the bandits, and the other two fled.

His unsurpassed adventure and exploration films, excellent photography combined with his stimulating narrative, help make Romain Wilhelm one of the country's most interesting and successful travel and adventure artists. Don't miss his exciting film "Peruvian Adventure" on Thursday evening, March 22 in Grayling.

Artrain Opens Here March 31

The Michigan Artrain visit to Grayling has been set for the 5 day period beginning Saturday, March 31 through Wednesday, April 5, 1984. Train hours and the names of visiting artists will be announced in the near future.

Supplemental Security Income Interviews Required In County

People in Crawford County who receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) checks may be contacted in the near future by a Social Security representative for a personal interview to review their case. The reviews are required by law to be sure the checks are being paid correctly.

Appointments for the reviews will be scheduled over the next few months. SSI recipients will be notified of their appointments by mail, and asked to bring information about their income, assets, and living arrangements when they meet with a representative. In some cases, documents such as bank books, rent receipts or utility bills may be requested.

It is important that people keep their appointments and provide the information needed to complete the review. SSI recipients are required to report any changes in their income or living arrangements as they occur. However, the personal reviews are needed even if there have been no changes.

A representative from Social Security is at the Courthouse in Grayling the first and third Tuesday of each month from 10:30 until 2:00. The telephone number for the Traverse City office is 616/948-8360.

Range Firing Conducted

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling during the period 14 March 84 thru 21 March 84.

Firing will be in the following areas on the dates and times as indicated.

The Small Arms Ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Rd. east of the gas pipeline and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin at 14 March 84 and cease at 21 March 84.

The Range 40 Complex located north of County Rd 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd 618 and west of County Rd F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin at 9:00 AM (Daily) and cease at 5:00 PM (Daily).

The ranges will be closed to the public during these periods and all persons are warned to keep out of the areas indicated.

Our Weather
 (Courtesy of Chuck Flick)

Mar.	Hi	Lo	Depth
6	22	-12	4.5
7	14	-22	4.0
8	15	-16	4.0
9	16	-19	3.5
10	22	-10	3.0
11	15	-15	6.5
12	17	-26	5.0



WINNERS IN FOUR-COUNTY SPELLDOWN — Jordan Stancil took first place in the 3rd Annual COOR Principals' Spelling Bee involving fourth graders from ten schools in the COOR Intermediate School District. Stancil became the first Crawford AuSable student to win first place. Angie Thompson took fifth place in the competition and Angie Harland (right) took sixth place. All three of the Crawford AuSable representatives made it past 188 spelling words from the study list. A special "stump" list had to be used to finish the spelling bee. Jordan is the son of George and Marilyn Stancil, Angie Thompson is the daughter of Randy and Lynn Thompson, and Angie Harland is the daughter of John and Cheryl Alef. (Photo by Jon Thompson)

60 Youth Audition for "Annie" In GHS Musical Production

Saturday, March 10, was a big day at Grayling High School as 60 young girls from the Grayling area auditioned for the role of Annie in the



Lori Gust

Broadway Musical.

The auditioning process took eleven hours and, in the end, twelve-year-old Lori Gust, daughter of Larry and Carol Gust of Grayling, was awarded the leading role. Lori, a seventh grader at the Grayling Middle School, has been active in the summer Kid's Theatre Program for the last 3 years. Others named to the Annie cast were Melissa Wakeley, Angela Thompson, Melanie Ross, Patty Timmons, Erin Barrow, and Bridgett Barrow.

"Annie" will be presented in the Grayling High School Auditorium on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, May 10, 11, and 12. Tickets will be available soon and it is anti-

cipated that all performances will be sold out. Ticket orders should be placed early to assure seats.

"Annie" will be one of the largest productions of the Grayling High School Players for many years, and many people will be involved in the production of this Broadway Musical. If there are any members of the adult community who would like to assist with the production, their help would be most welcome. Especially needed are musicians for the pit orchestra. Most needed are a violinist, cellist, trombonist and reed players. Anyone interested in participating should contact the Community School Office at Grayling High School.

Warmth of Grayling Friendship Overcomes Cold Weather Greeting

By Jon Thompson

Enrique Saldívar Boangel had a rude welcome to Grayling traveling here as a foreign exchange student in the Lions of Michigan youth exchange program. He left 80-degree weather in Lima, Peru, and arrived here on the morning of our coldest winter morning when the mercury dropped to 33 below.

After the initial shock wore off, Enrique warmed up to Grayling and his host family, Jeannine and Kenneth Eggert. Coming from a large city of almost six million people, he said he enjoyed the friendliness of the people here the most.

Enrique visited here for about six weeks attending our high school. He is on his summer break from school

in Peru and will graduate there in December. Compare Exchange on Page 18

Coffee - Donuts at Grayling Bank

The Grayling State Bank will be serving Coffee & Donuts March 16th for St. Patrick's Day.

GHS Forensic Team Performs Here Friday



The Grayling High School Individual Events team traveled to Gaylord High School on Saturday, March 3, to compete in the Gaylord Alpine I.E. Invitational. Students in three performance areas did especially well in their first 1984 competition.

Freshman Kim McDonough, in her initial forensic competition, took a fourth place in Extemporaneous Speaking (9th-10th grades). Junior Brenda Frause went to the Finals in Dramatic In-

terpretation before being defeated. Senior David Reynolds took a fourth place in Original Oratory.

Individual Events is one of the four areas of the Michigan Interscholastic Forensic Association, in which all Michigan high schools are eligible to compete. In addition to I.E., the other areas are: Debate, Discussion, and Theatre.

Individual Events is divided into two categories: Oral Interpretation and Public Speaking. Within

these two general areas are twelve separate competitions.

To prepare themselves for District Tournaments, most high schools attend a series of Invitationals. In addition to the Gaylord Alpine Tournament, the GHS team went to Standish/Sterling High School on March 10.

A local performance will be held on Friday, March 16, at 7:00 p.m. at Grayling High School, for interested community members to see I.E. Team members perform their selections.

Albosta Pursues Plans To Upgrade Camp Grayling

Congressman Don Albosta (D-St. Charles) last week met with James C. Kellogg, Special Assistant to Major General Vernon Andrews, Jr., the Adjutant General of Michigan, to discuss a major upgrading of the National Guard facility at Grayling.

"In view of the fact that this is one of the busiest and most important facilities in the community, I feel undertaking this modernization program is one of the best things we can do," Albosta commented. "Not only is it used on a regular basis by units from Michigan, but also from states like Ohio, Indiana, Wisconsin, Illinois and Kentucky. So its necessary role in training personnel that are prepared to respond in any emergency situation cannot be overemphasized."

Specifically, the improvement program would winterize the facility, upgrade its airport runways, and improve the water and wastewater treatment plant.

"I intend to do whatever is in my power to see to it that the National Guard Armory at Grayling receives the attention & the funds it so well deserves," Albosta continued. "I'm hopeful that our request for additional monies to do the job will be approved in order to get this project underway and stimulate the local economy in Crawford County."

Albosta plans to testify later this month before the House Armed, Services Subcommittee on Military Construction and Installation on the modernization program at Grayling.

NE Michigan Consortium Funding Tops \$200,000

By Jon Thompson

The Northeast Michigan Consortium funneled more than \$215,000 into Crawford County in 1983 helping 172 persons with training and job placement.

In 1983, 35 persons enrolled in general education (GED) classes funded through NEMC and 32 persons were employed in a summer youth job program that paid out \$32,946 in wages. NEMC also assisted in obtaining federal contracts totalling \$62,900 for the county. Other NEMC programs include adult work experience, on-the-job train-

ing, and classroom training at college.

In 1982, NEMC funneled about \$219,000 into Crawford County and from 1978 to 1981 NEMC spent more than \$1 million on programs to serve more than 800 persons in the county.

Jerry Albert, training programs administrator for NEMC, said Crawford County holds about 8 percent of the consortium's total population and during 1983 the consortium spent 8 percent of its allocated dollars in Crawford County. NEMC covers Alcona, Alpena,

Cheboygan, Crawford, Montmorency, Oscoda, Otsego, and Presque Isle counties.

Crawford County commissioner Bud Joyce says the consortium serves the county for only the cost of sending a delegate from Crawford's county board of commissioners to NEMC meetings.

The rented NEMC office in Grayling currently employs three people. NEMC is considering a computer terminal for the Grayling office to assist in handling job information and other programs.

Rochette Named Manager

Carlotta "Lottie" Rochette, a native of Grayling, has been named manager of the Chief Shoppenagons Hotel by owners Theron and Alice White.

Rochette replaces Jack Hull, who will become the commercial property manager for Coldwell Barker-Miller Christensen Realtors in Midland.

Rochette, employed eight months at the Hotel as office manager, will assume manager duties April 1. Hull See Rochette on Page 18

K mart Lawsuit Hearing Mar. 19

A second hearing on a lawsuit challenging approval of Crawford County Economic Development bonds for a K mart project has been scheduled for Monday, March 19, at 3:30 p.m. in Circuit Court here.

The lawsuit, filed by John Kraus, seeks to rescind approval of EDC bonding for a \$2.7 million K mart store along I-75 Business Loop south of Grayling.

In the initial hearing, Judge William Porter rules Kraus did not have the right to bring legal action against the project. The lawsuit has been amended by attorney William Carey, who represents Kraus, to contend future loss of business among other damages caused by the project does give Kraus the right to sue.

Construction has started on the 52,000-square-foot store and walls are currently being built. A summer opening is expected.

Long-Lost Family Finally Found by Grayling Woman

By Jon Thompson

Family reunions usually bring together relatives who haven't seen each other for a while. The family reunion Edris Sorenson plans on attending in June will introduce her to an entire side of her family she has never met.

Now a resident at AuSagra Acres, Sorenson, 77, was adopted when she was three in Mt. Pleasant. She first learned she was adopted when she was 16 and she's spent part of 60 years trying to find members of her original family.

When she was 19 she first met her younger brother who was adopted at the same time. In her late 20's Sorenson first met her real mother. And last January she met a half-brother for the first time.

"He came here to see me," Sorenson said. "He came in & hugged and kissed me, & we had a real interesting talk."

"One of my nephews has been trying to find out more about the families of my real mother and father. He finally located three of my dad's children last year."

Robert Pease, who visited Sorenson in January, lives in Williamston. Sorenson said if only she had known him before, there were countless times she could have visited

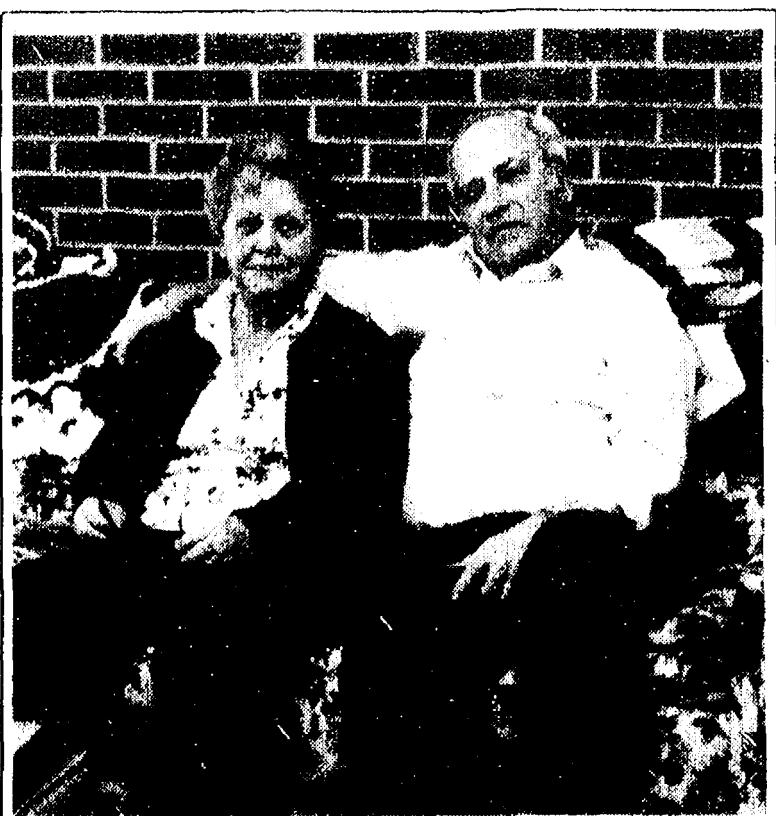
him and her other step brothers and sisters.

Sorenson never did meet her real father. He died before she found out who he was. Robert Pease brought Sorenson pictures of their father in January and it was the first time she saw a photograph of her father.

"My mother wouldn't tell me anything about him," Sorenson said.

Sorenson has kept close ties with her immediate family of seven children, Ed, Don, Louie, Helen, Jim, Sandra, and Nancy — they just had a family gathering in November. Edris was married to the late Harry Sorenson.

So in June she'll try to tighten ties with a host of relatives she has never met — at a honest-to-goodness family reunion.



FIRST MEETING IN 58 YEARS — Edris Sorenson met her step-brother Robert Pease, 58, for the first time last January.

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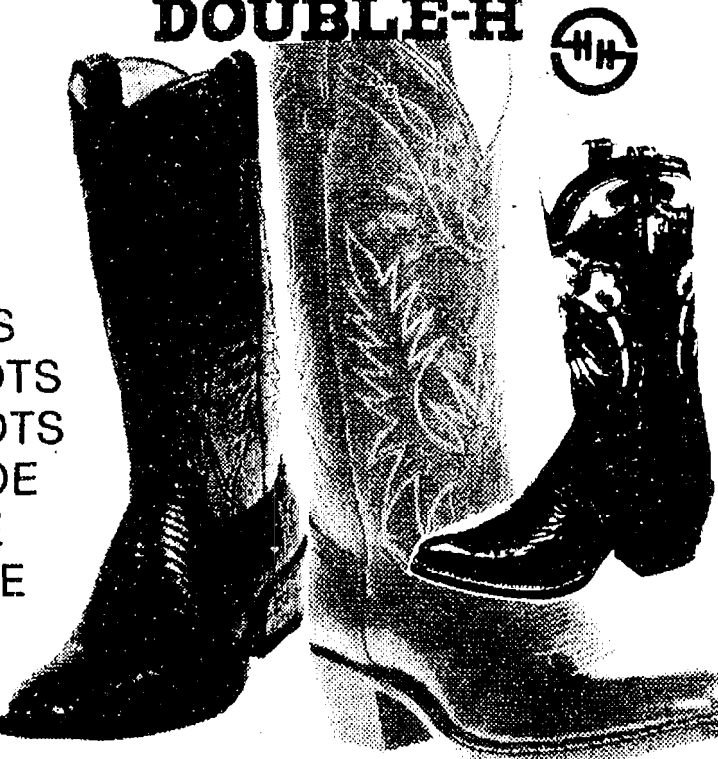
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Whitey Madsen

From Our Corner...



Girl Scout Week Guest Editorial ...

Some may argue that there are no new worlds to discover. We've walked on the moon, shuttled through space and conquered the mysteries of the deep.

But today's Girl Scout might disagree. That's because she's been busy finding new and exciting worlds every day through her participation in Girl Scouting.

What worlds can a Girl Scout discover? How about aerospace technology and mountain climbing? Or some more down-to-earth pursuits like camping and group sports?

Perhaps the best part about the new world a girl finds in Girl Scouting is the opportunity to share her delight of discovery with others. Girl Scout activities encourage friendship and teamwork and foster global awareness and understanding that link girls across the street or across the ocean.

By taking an active part in serving her community, a Girl Scout learns how local concerns may affect the world at large, and how she may contribute to finding solutions.

The wonderful world of Girl Scouting isn't just for girls. Women and men who serve as adult volunteers discover their own new worlds in the support and guidance they lend to the Girl Scout movement.

Girl Scout Week, March 11-17, serves to remind us that for 72 years, girls have been having fun, gaining solid learning experiences and enriching their world through Girl Scouting. We applaud their enthusiasm and trust they'll continue to find new worlds as Girl Scouts.

The weatherman mentioned last Friday that we would get a few flurries over the weekend...for once he was right, we received about 3 inches of flurries Saturday night with about a 50 mile wind that must have plunged the temperatures way below zero...I guess the man upstairs just wants us to know that winter time is not over with, it's still March, and we can expect just about any kind of weather for the rest of the month and then we hope it will be April showers to bring May flowers...

An idle thought...we were just looking at the calendar and noticed that the Leprechaun will have something extra to celebrate come Saturday when he celebrates St. Patrick's Day, he will also have a Full Moon to howl at...but then it's not just the Irishman, it seems that on St. Pat's Day just about everyone has a little green in them...

We've been melancholy Sunday afternoon and it has just dawned on us that Saturday evening we talked to Dane out in Nevada and he told us the weather was beautiful and we remembered that for the past few years we have always been out west at this time so that we could shake the cabin fever one gets about this time of winter...we walked down to the office Sunday and we nearly froze our buns off in so doing...so now it is beginning to account for our feelings today...maybe yet this spring we will be able to join the jet set and spent a week to 10 days out west...Dane, right now is planning on coming to Michigan this spring...it will be Amber's first visit to the Wolverine state...

The ol' fella is going to cheat a little bit this week, with the guest editorial on the Girl Scouts taking up the top part of our column it doesn't leave us too much to fill...Rena won't mind, she just got through setting the tax sale you will find on pages 14, 15 and 16, and that is a job...so with nothing else to say, we'll bid T.J., Stefany and Amber goodnight, and to all of our readers have a nice weekend...Saturday is the day of the green...

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

- March 15, 1849—Cholera epidemic began in New York City.
- March 16, 1871—Delaware enacted first state fertilizer law.
- March 17, 1966—Missing H-bomb found in waters off Spain.
- March 18, 1965—First space walk made by Alexei Leonov.
- March 19, 1952—Stassen defeated Eisenhower in New Hampshire Republican primary.

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM
THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago March 16, 1961

The Underground Forest All-Stars closed out their season last Saturday night at the Frederic High gym by defeating Kalkaska 109 to 67. This gave the record for the season of 28 victories against 2 defeats. The record is one of the best made by an independent team in this area for a long time.

The Walter Mikesells and the Robert Strongs are pleased to announce the arrival of Stephanie Lynn, a 7 lb. 1 oz. daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strong II at Mt. Pleasant on March 9th. Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Strong are great grandparents.

Last Saturday, Mrs. Ralph Millikin entertained a number of friends of her son, Mitchell who celebrated his sixth birthday which occurred on March 9th.

Miss Shirley Hoerl was the guest of honor at a bridal shower given Monday night of last week at the Mt. Hope Lutheran Church. Fifty-five ladies were in attendance. Each was asked to bring along a favorite recipe for the bride-elect, and after these were presented to her, games were played. Shirley opened her many gifts, and refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee and tea were served.

Miss Patricia Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hunter, graduated from Northwestern School of Practical Nursing at Traverse City on Thursday, March 2nd. Her parents and brother, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gorman, were on hand to see her graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jansen and children drove to Saginaw Friday to spend the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stillwagon and son Mickey spent from Wednesday until Saturday at Boyne Mountain. Mickey took first place in an advanced ski event on Thursday when he competed against ten men.

The Dr. Henigsen returned home Sunday.

46 Years Ago March 17, 1938

A photograph of Mrs. Fedora Montour-Landsberg together with a several column story appeared in the Detroit Times of Thursday, in connection with the birth of the 18 pound baby Donald Lawler. Mrs. Landsberg, nurse, assisted Dr. Carl S. Ratigan in the delivery of the famous baby. Mrs. Landsberg is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Montour, and is a graduate of Grayling Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Palmer and children were in Traverse City one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. York Edmonds and children will be returning Sunday from a two week's trip to Pueblo, Colorado, where they have been visiting the latter's parents, who reside there. This is Mrs. Edmond's 13th trip there.

Miss Ethel Taylor was home from Big Rapids over the weekend. She was accompanied by Miss Mildred Sours. Both are students in the Ferris Institute. Miss Taylor is taking post graduate in pharmacy, and expects to receive a degree soon.

Tom Welsh returned home on Thursday after spending several days in Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor, Detroit and South Bend, Ind.

Stanley Hummel of Maple Forest was a guest of Francis Nephew, Jr. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mayotte enjoyed the weekend visiting the former's parents in Munising.

Howard Granger and Robert Funck returned home Friday after having spent the past four weeks on a pleasure trip in the south.

69 Years Ago March 19, 1915

Algot Johnson left on Monday night for Ann Arbor on business.

Miss Blanche McKinnon of Frederic was a guest of her cousin, Mrs. Paul Hendrie, over Sunday last.

Mrs. Samuel Phelps Jr. and children of Bay City visited at the home of Emil Hanson over Sunday.

Word has been received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kriepke of Detroit on Saturday, March 6th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kelsey of Grand Rapids, a little daughter, Sunday, March 7th, at the home of Mrs. Kelsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Charron of this city.

Waldemar Jensen, painter and decorator, expects to go to Saginaw to do some work soon and will be gone for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larson entertained several friends last Thursday evening in honor of their wedding anniversary. "500" was the order of the evening, and was played until a late hour, when delicious refreshments were served.

Alonso Collen pleasantly entertained a party of twelve friends Sunday evening at his Portage Lake cottage. A good old-fashioned New England boiled dinner was served and the guests were unanimous in their praise of "Boo" as being a fine chef.

Cameron Game and Arnold Burrows have purchased the P.J. Moshier & Son meat market.

Senior Citizens

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Blood Sugar Testing, March 21st from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. \$1.00 donation to Health Dept. to cover supplies. Be sure that you are not developing the beginning of diabetes or hypoglycemia. Early diagnosis is the key to a long and productive life.

Handicapped & 80 to 100 yr. old Party, March 23 at 1:00 p.m. Everyone 80 to 100 and all those with a handicap are invited to come to the Center and participate with us. Games, singing, and refreshments are planned for an enjoyable afternoon.

April Fool Party, April 1st at the Center. Planned is a Backward Party Potluck dinner at 5:00 p.m. Wear your clothes backwards. A prize for the best "backward outfit". A contest for the "Old Bag of the Year" and also for the "Old Goat of the Year". All during the month of March you can cast your vote. Select a lady (the old bag) and your favorite gent as the "old goat". This is a fun gag. We will have fancy crowns and prizes, and a good time. The most votes in the box on March 30th will win. A fun night on April Fool's Day when the prizes will be awarded.

For more information, please call 348-9314, or stop by the Center at 308 Lawndale Drive in Grayling.

The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

IS WORLD HUNGER NECESSARY?

Did you know that Bible Christianity could end hunger in India in one day? There are two hundred million "sacred cows" already in India. Each cow eats seven times the amount of food a human eats. Besides, the country is filled with rats and mice which destroy much more food. Why don't the people of India kill the rats and mice to save food and improve sanitation? Why don't the people of India kill and eat the cows? They are deceived by the false religion of Hinduism which teaches reincarnation of humans into animals. These people would rather die of starvation than to kill a rat or a cow. They are afraid they might kill a relative. The hunger problem of India concerns not food, but false religion.

Have you ever wondered why Russia must buy millions of tons of grain from us each year to feed their people? Russia does not lack in land. Russia does not lack in technology. She is one of the most highly developed nations in the world. She has the ability to land men on the moon. She has the ability to develop the best in agricultural equipment. With Russia the problem is not resources, but management. Bureaucratic blunders and red tape stifle their agricultural economy.

Another reason for hunger is given in 2 Thessalonians 3:10 "For even when we were with you, this we commanded you, that if you would not work, neither should he eat." Work has been God's answer to hunger since Genesis 3:17-19.

When a nation has the resources, the technology, and the labor to produce food, there is only one excuse for hunger. "...Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God." Matt 4:4. "Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people."

Proverbs 14:34. Israel was rebuked in Malachi 3:7-12 for leaving God's ordinances or word, and failing to bring tithes and offerings to Him. For this cause God placed a curse upon them. "Ye are cursed with a curse: for ye have robbed me, even this whole nation." Mal 3:9 God then promised in verses 10-12 to restore His blessings upon their land and crops if they would return to Him. God would make them the envy of all nations if they would obey Him. "And all nations shall call you blessed: for ye shall be a delightsome land, saith the Lord of hosts." Mal 3:12.

Even during the 1000 year reign of our Lord Jesus Christ from Jerusalem, those nations who fail to go annually to Jerusalem to worship Jesus Christ shall have "no rain", they shall be under a "plague" from God. Zechariah 14:16-19. The conclusion is, "This shall be the punishment of Egypt, and the punishment of all nations that come not up to keep the feast of tabernacles." Zechariah 14:19.

"If I shut up heaven that there be no rain, or if I command the locusts to devour the land, or if I send pestilence among my people; If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land." II Chronicles 7:13, 14.

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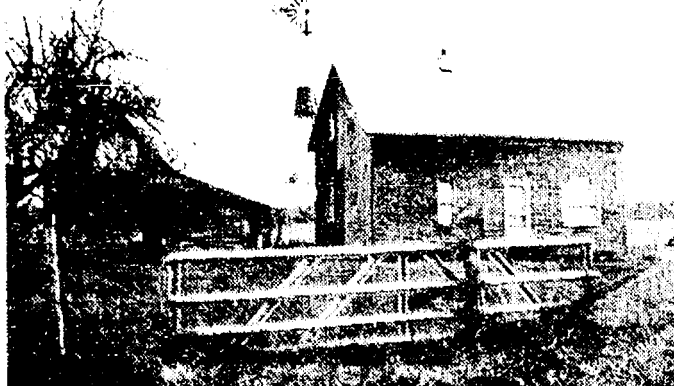
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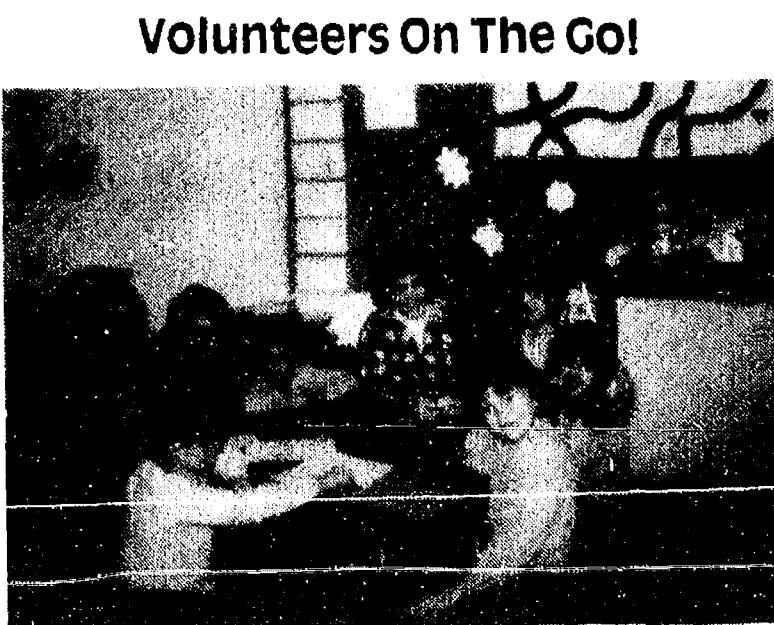
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NEWSPAPER STAFF — Above is Mrs. Cora Flowers with the student staff of the Fred-eric Elementary School Newspaper.

Cora Flowers has chosen to do a unique job at the Frederic Elementary School. Together with Sandy Fleming, one of our fifth grade teachers, she has decided to help organize a student newspaper at the Frederic school.

Once a month Cora meets with the student newspaper staff checking on what is to be printed, then takes it home, types it, and runs off copies to be distributed to the school.

I have read the newspaper and have to commend all those involved. This paper gives our children the opportunity to express their feelings on different issues, and have some fun while also learning.

Among other volunteer

credits for Cora are two years with the Grayling Co-Op Nursery, one year with Cub Scouts, and she has been an active member of Mount Hope Lutheran Church for the past six years. She has helped with Church projects, taught Sunday school, and served on various Church committees.

Cora says she enjoys working with the children because she feels she is part of the overall good it does for the children. she also said more people should join the school volunteer program because it frees the teaching staff to perform more important teaching jobs.

We thank Cora Flowers for being in our volunteer program for the past 7 years and for your interest in the Frederic Elementary student newspaper.

For more information about the volunteer program call Lillian Wolf, 348-7641 ext. 52.

4-H Rabbits

C.C. Fancy Bunnies held their monthly meeting on March 5, 1984 with 8 members attending.

The group was briefed on showing their rabbits. The steps were demonstrated by Tina Goltick and her rabbits.

A trip to Harrisville was decided upon for April 8 and the next meeting was set for April 3 at the Milltown Rabitry.

Any visitors are welcome to attend. For information call Michelle Williams at 348-3256.

Parent Support Group Meets

The Parent Support group is meeting every Monday during the month of March from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church.

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The Kirtland Community College Players will present "True West" in the Kirtland Auditorium on Friday and Saturday evenings, March 30 and 31 at 8 p.m., and on Sunday afternoon, April 1 at 3 p.m. The off-beat comedy was written by this year's Oscar nominee Sam Shepard. Tickets are \$3 and \$2 and will be available at the door or at: Higgins Lake True Value Hardware, Flowers by Josie. Call Dr. Robert Amsden at 275-5121, ext. 226 for information.

Annual St. Jude's Bike-a-Thon May 5

Sunday School class at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church to sponsor annual St. Jude's Bike-a-Thon May 5th.

A Bike-a-Thon to earn money for St. Jude's Children's Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee will be held May 5th from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and sponsored by the 5th & 6th grade Sunday School class at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church.

The route will start at the church (Spruce St.) go to Ingham St., continued on Ingham to the football field (Plum St.) past the football field to Ionia and back up Ionia to Spruce St. There will be safety check points along the route.

Our goal is to recruit 30 bike riders during the month of March. If you would like to ride in the St. Jude's Bike-a-Thon call 348-7294 or 348-7037. We are seeking riders of all ages.

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Community Fun Day

Plans are developing fast for the 2nd annual community fun day, sponsored by local volunteer organizations. Eight groups have reserved booths for this event, which will be held Saturday, April 28, 1984, in the Grayling Middle School Gym, from 10:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Daniels Den plans to have a food booth with hot dogs, pop, etc., and the Student Council from the middle school will have a taco stand. 4-H will have a display booth about all their programs and the Crawford County Fair Association will be selling memberships and promoting the 2nd Fair taking place this August.

Muscular Dystrophy will be having a fundraising booth and several volunteers from that organization have offered to solicit door prizes for the fun day from local businesses. These will be given out throughout the day from drawings from the ticket stubs. Admission to the Fun Day will be .50 cents for adults and .25 cents for children of school age.

Youth Service Bureau and Sibs for Kids will both be having game booths for the kids as well as R.S.V.P., but we still have lots of spaces left for your organization. Let us know today what your organization will be doing for the Fun Day to publicize your volunteer group.

Remember, April is National Volunteer Month. Let the community know what your organization is doing to benefit them.

For more information, contact the Sibs for Kids office at 348-2841, ext. 262. Ask for Helen or Alela.

Obituaries

Services Held For Walter Angel, 67

Walter C. Angel, 67, of Grayling Township, passed away Wednesday, March 7, 1984 at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Funeral services were held Saturday, March 10, 1984 at Sorenson Funeral Home at 11:00 a.m. with Reverend Jeffery Regan officiating. Cremation followed services. Masonic Memorial Services were conducted Saturday morning immediately preceding funeral services.

Mr. Angel was born in Detroit November 6, 1916, and had resided in Lake Orion until his retirement 7 years ago when he moved to Grayling. He was employed at the Wyandotte Paint Company in the Quality control dept. He was a member of Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church and The Grayling Lodge #356 F. & A.M. of which he was a past Master.

He is survived by his wife Beatrice, two daughters, Donna Beers of Lake Orion, and Doris Keip of Brighton; two brothers, Ernest of Westland and Clifford of Houston, Texas and seven grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be directed to the Grayling Masonic Lodge #356.

Josephine Robertson Dies at Marquette

Josephine J. "Polly" Robertson, 79, of 428 Green Garden Road, Marquette, died shortly after being admitted to Marquette General Hospital Monday.

She was born Oct. 29, 1904, in Adams County, Wis., and had been a resident of the Marquette area since 1943.

She was employed for several years as a public nurse for the city of Marquette, and was a member of St. Louis the King Catholic Church in Harvey, the church ladies auxiliary (of which she was a past President), the Daughters of Isabella and the American Legion Auxiliary, which she had also served as president.

Survivors include her husband, Russell; two daughters Mrs. Gary (Susan) Moore of Las Vegas, Nev., and Mrs. Dan (Naomi) Deavors of Newmarket, Ontario, Canada; two sisters; two brothers; four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian burial was celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Louis the King Church, with the Rev. Lawrence Gauthier officiating. Burial was in the Holy Cross Cemetery Mausoleum.

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Agreement Near on Berlin-Farro Cleanup

Warren M. Hoyt, Executive Director, MPA



Officials from the state and federal governments, along with representatives of waste generators at the Berlin and Farro toxic waste dump at Swartz Creek, tried but were unsuccessful in reaching agreement on the generators paying for the next stage of cleanup at the site.

The regional administrator for the federal Environmental Protection Agency, in Lansing recently for a seminar on toxic cleanups, said he hoped negotiations would be completed soon.

After meetings with Chief Assistant Attorney General Stanley Steinborn, and Stewart Freeman, chief assistant attorney general in charge of environmental protection, and Valdus Adamkus, EPA administrator for region five, a spokesman said negotiations would continue and were nearing completion.

Adamkus said if an agreement is reached it would involve close to \$10 million the EPA has already budgeted for the next stage of cleanup at the suburban Flint site.

An agreement could mean the first waste from the site could be hauled out in about two weeks.

Adamkus said the different sides were "almost on the brink" of an agreement but that some issues remained to be resolved.

The agreement would require the waste generators, which include General Motors Corporation and Ford Motor Corporation, to pay for the next stage of the cleanup, he said, but among the issues

unresolved was reimbursement to the state and federal governments for amounts they already had spent on the cleanup of the area.

In September, 1983, after one stage of the cleanup had already been undertaken by the state, it was estimated the state had spent some \$4.1 million on Berlin and Farro.

Greg Vanderlaan, chief of the EPA's remedial response section, estimated Michigan had spent between \$5 million and \$5.5 million on the cleanup, while the federal government had spent so far about \$1.75 million.

Vanderlaan said if an agreement is reached, then the funds budgeted for the Berlin and Farro — \$9.6 million — would go for planning and cleanup at other sites in the region.

First consideration would be given to toxic contamination sites in Michigan already listed as priority cleanup sites, he said.

With the money for Berlin and Farro, the EPA is planning to spend some \$18.2 million in "superfund" monies on 16 sites in the state during the 1983-84 fiscal year.

President Reagan has called for a supplemental appropriation of \$50 million for the superfund and should be approved.

A total of \$22.6 million would be spent on some 20 sites in Michigan.

There are 44 total sites in Michigan now listed for cleanup on the superfund priority list, and Vanderlaan said that could be increased to 52 when the list is re-evaluated in May.



T.U. LIBRARY — The Trout Unlimited special section in the Crawford County Library has grown to more than 85 books following recent contributions. Ben Butts (right), George Mason Chapter president, gives head librarian Rose Duley three books from his personal library, Ralph Wahl's "Come Wade the River," R.P. Van Gytenbeek's "Way of the Trout," and Lefty Kreh's "Practical Fishing Knots," and Robert Andrus, chapter vice-president, gives Duley three fishing technique books for the Trout Unlimited section.

What's So Special?

By Sharon Prislipsky

It is no secret that human beings are not all "born equal". We differ not only in our physical and mental abilities, but in our natural capacity to handle stress. These facts are accepted with respect to adults, but are often overlooked in children.

The human personality is complex. The functioning of our sensory organs, our nervous system and our brain has a great deal to do with our behavior. But our behavior is also affected by many genetic, environmental and toxic influences that reduce our ability to handle stress.

Not long ago a staff member came into my office obviously distraught over an event that he felt was an insult to him. I responded by overreacting to this co-worker. I raised my voice and became angry. After the situation was resolved, I realized that I had slept poorly the night before, skipped breakfast, and had been faced with at least three crises at once. While I might have handled any one of these occurrences alone, together they became an overload. This has happened to all of us at one time or another.

Parents need to know when the environment is providing an overload for their children. This is particularly true of sensitive hyperactive children who often react to their environment in a physical way. Occasionally we see a child acting out or misbehaving in a public place. In spite of the parent's attempt to manage the child, the behavior grows more and more unacceptable. This is not usually evidence of a "bad" mother or father who simply cannot handle the child.

Nervous, sensitive children often cannot tolerate simple everyday stimulation. When high levels of sugar are eaten by such children, their bodies overreact by excreting extra insulin. Sugar levels in the bloodstream drop suddenly. The result may be the frantic, purposeless behavior which leads to a distraught parent and a child who is thought of as "bad" or perhaps "emotionally disturbed".

The special education staff of C.O.O.R. is planning a workshop for parents of educationally handicapped children. The workshop will

A Cow May Be Man's Best Friend

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Facts About Spouse Abuse

Statistics indicate that one in three families are affected by some form of domestic violence. If domestic violence is affecting your life, you may be interested in the Spouse Abuse Support Group starting on March 28, 1984.

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Vendors interested in bidding should indicate same by providing written notice, on company letterhead to Mr. Charles Lockwood, Northeast Michigan Consortium, 228 North Main Street, Cheboygan, Michigan 49721, by 4:00 p.m., March 20, 1984. Specifications for actual bid will be mailed to potential bidders after this date.

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Department of Natural Resources

Hazardous Waste Division Notice

Public Hearing on Proposed Rules

The Department is currently revising the Administrative Rules for Act 64, P.A. 1979, as amended, the State Hazardous Waste Management Act. The revisions are being made in order to enable Michigan to obtain authorization from the U.S. EPA to operate its own hazardous waste management program in lieu of the Federal program. This program authorization would take place pursuant to Section 3006 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, P.L. 94-580, as amended (RCRA).

If enacted, the proposed rules would rescind and completely replace the existing Act 64 Rules. The new rules have been formatted to more closely resemble the Federal hazardous waste regulations. RCRA language has been utilized wherever possible. Many portions of the Federal regulations have been adopted by reference. The proposed rules still retain, however, nearly all of the existing provisions which impose more stringent regulatory control than the Federal program.

The Department will be holding five public hearings on the proposed rules at the following times and locations:

Marquette

Northern Michigan University
University Center
540 W. Kaye
Marquette, Michigan 49855
April 23, 1984
9:00 a.m.

Grand Rapids

Grand Valley State College
Kirkhof Center, Promenade Deck
Allendale, Michigan 49401
April 25, 1984
9:00 a.m.

Lansing

Law Building Auditorium
525 W. Ottawa
Lansing, Michigan 48909
April 30, 1984
9:30 a.m.

Grayling

Grayling Holiday Inn
2650 I-75 Bus. Loop South
Grayling, Michigan 49738
April 23, 1984
7:00 p.m.

Detroit

State Fair Auditorium
1120 W. State Fair Avenue
Detroit, Michigan 48203
April 26, 1984
9:00 a.m.

All interested persons are invited to attend and present their views. Those unable to attend may submit comments in writing to the Hazardous Waste Division, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 30038, Lansing, Michigan 48909 until May 4, 1984.

If approved, the rules will become effective 15 days after filing with the Secretary of State.

A copy of the proposed rules may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope capable of holding 60 pages of 8 1/2" x 11" paper to the Hazardous Waste Division at the address shown above. A weight of 10 ounces should be used to determine appropriate postage. The rules will not be available for distribution until March 23, 1984; however, requests may be submitted immediately in order to facilitate processing.



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Public Hearing on Forestry Here Mar. 22

Lansing— State Senator Connie Binsfeld (R-Maple City) and State Senator Mitch Irwin (D-Sault Ste Marie) today announced a public hearing on Forestry for 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 22, 1984, at the Grayling Holiday Inn.

"We'd like to concentrate primarily on the recent Timber Volume Agreement proposed by the State Dept. of Natural Resources staff," explained the northern Michigan lawmakers.

"We've had quite a lot of feedback on this proposal," said Binsfeld, who said the Timber Volume Agreement is a special arrangement to offer stability to the timber

supply for new or expanding businesses. "We hope to explore other options which would provide a better overall strategy for our forest industry," she said.

"Specifically, we are concerned that any DNR agreement include the input of our existing forest industries," continued Irwin. "In addition, Governor Blanchard has named a Lands Task Force to evaluate our state lands, and we need to see the result of this activity before making a commitment on timber volume."

Binsfeld and Irwin said it is especially important to coordinate DNR action with legislative activity. "We want to be able to justify and timber agreement or any lands identification for the long-term," they said.

The legislators said that state DNR officials, including Jerry Rose of the Forest Management Division, will co-sponsor the public hearing. Forest industry representatives, Forestry Associations, and all interested parties are invited to attend.

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Tues., Mar. 20 - 10:00 a.m. - Exercise, 11:30 a.m. - Lunch, 1:30 p.m. - Bowling, 1:30 p.m. - Flower Arranging, 5:00 p.m. - Dinner, 5:30 p.m. - Dancing.

Wed., Mar. 21 - 8:00-11:00 a.m. - Blood Sugar Testing, 11:30 a.m. - Lunch, 12:30 p.m. - Bingo, 1:30 p.m. - Stag Party, 4:30 p.m. - Cards, 5:00 p.m. - Dinner, 5:30 p.m. - Mr. French.

Thurs., Mar. 22 - 10:00 a.m. - Bible Study, 11:30 a.m. - Lunch, 12:30 p.m. - Blood Pressure, 12:30 p.m. - Vial of Life, 1:30 p.m. - Kitchen Band, 5:00 p.m. - Dinner, 5:30 p.m. - "Wild Turkeys"/Ray Perez, D.N.R.

Fri., Mar. 23 - 12:00 Noon - Dinner, 1:00 p.m. - Handicapped & 80-100 yr. old Party.

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Mar. 15, 16 & 17 - Flea Market at the Center.

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Mar. 25-27th - Grand Traverse Hilton in Acme. Sign up now.

April 1 - Backward Party Potluck, 5:00 p.m. at the Center.

For more information, please call 348-9314, or stop by the Center at 308 Lawndale Drive in Grayling.

Editor's Mailbox

Rev. Raymond E. Jones
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Feb. 28, 1984

Letter to the Editor:

I was very pleased with the response of Pastor Barnett to the letter of S.D. Newland-Smith in the letter box of the Avalanche of Feb. 23. Pastor Barnett was very clear and concise and showed a very good grasp of "Humanism".

It is about time that Christians and Jews stand up and realize that they are being taken down the road by the Humanist.

The Supreme Court in its decisions leans to the theory that Theistic belief is but one sort of religion and that non-Theistic belief equally qualifies as a religion and that "belief refers to a universal view of life of the world of mankind". In other words, religion is a "way of life" or a "way of thinking". Humanism therefore is a religion.

John J. Dunphy, writing in the Jan./Feb. edition of the 1983 "Humanist" says: "I am convinced that the battle for humankind's future must be waged and won in the public school classroom by teachers who correctly perceive their role as proselytizers for a new faith: a religion of humanity that recognizes and respects the spark of what theologians call divinity in every human being. The teacher must embody the same selfless dedication as the most rabid fundamentalist preachers, for they will ministers of another sort, utilizing a classroom instead of a pulpit to convey humanist values in whatever subjects they teach, regardless of the educational level whether preschool, day care or large State University. The classroom must and will become an arena between the old and the new, the rotting corpse of Christianity together with all its adjacent evils and misery, and the new faith of Humanism, replete in its promise of a world in which the never realized Christian ideal of love of neighbor will finally be achieved."

The above is exactly what is happening in the United States. It is time that Christians and Jews wake up to the inroads of this new religion. People worry about cults, like the moonies, and the Indian cults but do not realize the impact of Humanism on young minds. I thank Pastor Barnett for his, concise expose of Humanism.

Rev. Raymond E. Jones
Retired Catholic priest
Archdiocese of Detroit
Living in Tequesta Fla.

Dear Mr. Madsen:
I know that you and Thelma spent most of your summer in Minnesota, as did I. She and I and many others were in Minnesota fighting for our lives. God has chosen to give some of us more time, another chance. For those he has taken home, we miss you.

I have been among the very fortunate to receive a pancreas transplant and be cured of diabetes. During my stay in Minnesota I received over 200 cards and letters from the kind of people of Crawford County. What a summer! Love and prayers and the "Gift of Life."

I would like to invite everyone to learn more about the need for donors and how to give the "gift of life."

On March 15th, the Lion's Club will sponsor a Community Awareness Night. The program will be presented by the Organ Procurement agency of Ann Arbor. It will be held at the Holiday Inn at 7:30. Local clergy & a physician as well as a representative of Mercy Hospital will be on hand for the question/answer period.

From the Transplantation Society of Michigan, Ann Arbor. 1-800-482-4881 24 hr. information.

Give my sight to the man who has never seen a sunrise, a baby's face or love in the eyes of a woman.

Give my heart to a person whose own heart has caused nothing but endless days of pain.

Give my blood to the teenager who was pulled from the wreckage of his car, so that he might live to see his grandchildren play.

Give my kidneys to one who depends on a machine to exist from week to week.

Take my bones, every muscle, every fiber and nerve in my body and find a way to make a crippled child walk.

Explore every corner of my brain. Take my cells, if necessary, and let them grow so that, someday, a speechless boy will shout at the crack of a bat and a deaf girl will hear the sound of rain against her window.

Burn what is left of me and scatter the ashes to the winds to help the flowers grow.

If you must bury something, let it be my faults, my weakness and all prejudice against my fellow man.

Give my sins to the devil.

Give my soul to God.

If, by chance, you wish to remember me, do it with a kind deed or a word to someone who needs you.

If you do all I have asked, I will live forever.

by Robert N. Test
Sincerely Yours,
Noreen (Canfield) Harmer

To The Editor:

I'm having a little trouble dealing with the reaction brought on by two recent letters written, one, by Marty Bohn, the other by Walt Allington, and directed to the editor and the commissioners. Mrs. Bonkowski chose to interpret them as a reflection on her credibility, and followed with a character assassination of two very fine gentlemen in defense of her supposedly injured pride.

After analyzing its contents, one gets the feeling she has become the new self-appointed 8th commissioner and her literary outburst a smoke screen to hide her efforts to discourage any further negative comments about the commissioners and their policies, and putting a label on those who dare to do so. Elaine Harland has proven on more than one occasion that at least some of the commissioners are capable of speaking for themselves, and she did it all with style and good taste.

For those of you who know Mr. Bohn and Mr. Allington by name only, I urge you to seek them out. Conversing with either of these fine gentlemen even briefly will convince you neither of them are politically motivated, as implied, and their only crime has been their long-time dedication watchdogging the big spenders of tax dollars, who are forever trying to talk the public into what they "need", only to wind up with bigger problems, more public debts and more self-appointed people telling us what's wrong.

As long as there is a possibility of having elected officials who think their intellect superior to their constituents, we will never have enough Bohns, Allingtons, and concerned citizens making sure the elected officials answer for their own actions.

Allen C. Carr

I've been reading, with great amusement, the letters to you regarding the new K mart store and the ordeal over the insulation at the courthouse. It's about time the citizens of Crawford County woke up. We all need to take an interest in what's happening in our community and how our tax dollars are spent, but everyone sits and waits for somebody else to take the first step. Everyone's afraid of being labeled a "troublemaker". I, personally, am not accustomed to throwing my money away and would appreciate it if my tax dollars were spent as carefully as I have to spend what's left over after paying them!

Grayling has been a greatly depressed area for a long time and everyone's been content to just sit back and complain about it. Building a decent community will also take a long time, but I think the time has come to either make Grayling grow or let it die gracefully. It's time we all wake up and realized tourists do not support the majority of us living here and take action to see that our citizens can make a decent wage to support their families.

I am happy to see the E.D.C. and Commissioners fighting for the people, that has not always been the case here. Many times things have been passed up that the people would've liked to have had, simply because some "upstanding community leader" opposed it. We're beginning to grow up.

Whether K mart should have been given the tax free bond or not is not a question I would even begin to answer, something has to be done to make Grayling seem appealing to businesses and industry. I do feel that if the tax free bond is the answer it should also carry some stipulations. I feel that the companies should be required to hire a certain percentage of its work force, in construction, as well as operation from our area. There are many unemployed people who would love the opportunity.

Now that we're all awake and we've cleaned the sand out of our eyes, let's not let it die with the erection of the new store. Let's keep working toward a better community and more jobs for all of us "commoners".

Sincerely,
Dixie Lobsinger

SHOWTIME

SHOWTIME PROGRAMMING HIGHLIGHTS CARD
SHOWTIME is Total Entertainment with 69 new and different programs in March. Here's a sampling of this month's quality, variety and innovation!

MOVIE HIGHLIGHTS 20 movies, including:

48 HRS. (R)

Eddie Murphy debuts as a streetwise con sprung from jail for 48 hours by Detective Jack Cates (Nick Nolte) to help catch two cop killers. (premiere 3/2)

The Lords of Discipline (R)

A young military cadet (David Keith) risks his future and his life to thwart the efforts of a secret elite society that is trying to eliminate a black cadet (Mark Breland) from its ranks. (premiere 3/18)

Baby, It's You (R)

Two lovers from different sides of the tracks part company—she to go to a good college, he to pursue a singing career in Miami.

This John Sayles' film makes its national payable debut exclusively on SHOWTIME. (premiere 3/24)

The Outsiders (PG)

Francis Ford Coppola directs this brooding drama about the conflicts and passions that arise between rival youth gangs. Matt Dillon and

Diane Lane star. (premiere 3/3)

Without a Trace (PG)

In this true-to-life drama, Judd Hirsch portrays a sensitive detective compelled to continue his search for a missing boy through the courage of the boy's mother (Kate Nelligan). (premiere 3/4)

"Baby, It's You"



SPECIALS 6 special programs, including:

Lena Horne — The Lady and Her Music

Classy, jazzy Lena Horne leads you by the rhythmic heart strings in a musical journey through her tremendous career in this special presentation of her Tony Award-winning show. (premiere 3/15)

Sweeney Todd

Winner of eight Tony Awards including Best Actress and Best Actor, this macabre musical, including 26 songs by Stephen Sondheim, stars Angela Lansbury and George Hearn in the misadventures of the "Demon Barber of Fleet Street" on Broadway on SHOWTIME. (premiere 3/11)

Rock of the 80's: Madness and Others

English dance band Madness, whose self-dubbed "nutty sound" is featured in their recent stateside hit "Our House," team up with Brooklyn rocker Cyndi Lauper ("Girls Just Want to Have Fun") and others in concert at the Hollywood Palace in Los Angeles. (premiere 3/10)

Eurythmics: Sweet Dreams

Eurythmics' videos "Sweet Dreams (Are Made of This)" and "Love Is a Stranger" are combined with footage of the hot new duo's Australian concert tour in this exciting show.

Lena Horne



SERIES 15 series episodes, including:

Robin Hood

Two action-packed episodes of this popular series premiere this month. In "The Witch of Eldson" (3/22), innocent villagers are accused of practicing witchcraft. And, Robin's men are tricked into

trusting "Richard the Lionhearted" (3/29).

Bizarre

When John Byner portrays a husband trying to spice up his marriage, you can rest assured there is more to it than pepper and salt. And that's Bizarre! (episode #10 March 6, 10; #11 March 11, 14, 17.)

The Paper Chase — The Second Year

Two students plot to sell Hart's (James Stephen) class outline to first-year students in "Outline Fever" (3/20). As Professor Kingsfield (John Houseman) awaits a Supreme Court appointment, Hart wonders about his own

future in "The Birthday Party" (3/27).

Faerie Tale Theatre

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"Robin Hood"



FAMILY FEATURES 9 family features, including:

Just Posing

In this touching story about growing up, 12-year-old Tracy Farber (Felice Schacter) is a child of divorced parents, who searches for guidance from her agent as she dreams to be a model and actress. (premiere 3/8)

The Deerslayer

A tough frontiersman, Hawkeye, and his Indian companion, Chingachgook, set out to save a beautiful Indian princess in this adventure film based on James Fenimore Cooper's classic tale. (premiere 3/6)

Rainbow (NR)

Her life as a studio child may have taunted young Judy Garland to look somewhere over the rainbow for the childhood she never had. Andrea McArdle (of Broadway's Annie) portrays the young Judy who is pushed by her mother to take tinseltown by storm. (premiere 3/2)

"The Deerslayer"



LATE NIGHT FEATURES 7 late-night features, including:

Lovely But Deadly (R)

To avenge her brother's death by drug overdose, a high-school student named Lovely (Lucinda Dooling) lures unknown victims and succeeds in busting a major drug ring. (premiere 3/7)

Confessions From a Holiday Camp (NR)

In this hilarious sex comedy, Robin Askwith is entertainment officer of a holiday camp caught between his strait-laced boss and some bikini-clad lovelies willing to do anything to win the beauty contest. (premiere 3/28)

The Dorm That Dripped Blood (R)

Horror takes over when a group of unsuspecting college coeds meet their gruesome deaths in the halls of a vacated dormitory. Is the degree worth it? (premiere 3/21)

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COMMISSION ORDER
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STATEWIDE TROUT AND SALMON REGULATIONS

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on January 13, 1984, under the authority of Act 165, P.A. 1929, as amended, and Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, ordered that for the period beginning April 1, 1984, and ending March 31, 1987, no person shall possess, take or attempt to take, any species of trout or salmon from any of the waters of this state except by hook and line during the open seasons prescribed, and within the minimum size limits and maximum possession limits indicated below.

Statewide open seasons on all streams and designated trout lakes shall be from the last Saturday in April through September 30 (longer on waters designated by the Director for extended fishing under Act 165) on all trout and salmon. Statewide open seasons on all other inland lakes and the Great Lakes shall be any time for all trout and salmon except on Lake Huron and its tributary streams and on Lake Michigan and its tributary streams the season on lake trout is from May 1 through August 15.

Size limits shall be 8 inches in Lower Peninsula streams, 7 inches on Upper Peninsula streams, and 10 inches on all lakes except the daily possession limit for trout and salmon shall be 5 fish singly or in combination but no more than 2 lake trout or splake from Lake Michigan and its tributary streams or 3 lake trout or splake from Lake Superior and Lake Huron and their tributary streams, except that an additional 5 brook or brown trout may be taken from streams from the last Saturday in April through September 30 only.

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Notice of Hearing

In accordance with P.A. 55, Public Acts of 1968, the Crawford County Road Commission will conduct a public hearing on April 5, 1984 held at the Crawford County Road Commission offices in Grayling, Michigan for consideration of the improvement of county local roads as follows:

Beginning at 7:00 p.m. - Beaver Island Road
Beginning at 7:30 p.m. - Karen Road, Spruce Street, Crawford Road within the Plat of Karen Woods
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In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman will now begin on-the-job training in the structural and pavements field at Davis-Monthan Air Force Base, Ariz.

He is a 1982 graduate of Crawford Ausable High School, Grayling.

Expected Parents Seminar Mar. 27

According to a 1981 Michigan Dept. of Public Health report, the infant mortality rate is on the rise in Crawford, Kalkaska and Otsego Counties. The report revealed a decline in infant deaths for the same period for the state as a whole.

A major reason for the higher level of infant mortality can be directly attributed to improper nutrition for prenatal mothers, according to the Health Coordinator, Bruce King.

For this reason, and because March is National Nutrition Month, Mercy Hospital will be offering a free seminar entitled "Dressing Your Child From the Inside Out."

Cheryl Melroy, registered dietitian at Mercy Hospital, will address eating habits and nutrition for infants and children at the seminar while Physical Therapist Rick Febey will demonstrate exercises designed to help develop a child's coordination and strengthen bodies.

The seminar will be held March 27 at 7 p.m. in the Mercy Hospital Dining Room. Parents, expectant parents and couples planning a family are encouraged to attend this one day seminar.

For more information contact the Health Information Resource Center at Mercy Hospital, 348-5461. Ask for extension 172.

The Avalanche — Your Want Ad Paper

Viking Comeback Stopped In 67-58 District Loss

Grayling fought back from a 20-point second quarter deficit to pull within five points near the end of the third quarter, but Houghton Lake hung on for a 67-58 district victory Wednesday at Houghton Lake.

"The kids played hard and I couldn't ask anything more than that from them," head coach Butch Hayes said after the loss. "They went down fighting. We had a chance to get blown right out of the gym early and we came back. We're not pleased with losing, but the kids played with their hearts."

The Vikings came out tight for their opening game in districts while Houghton Lake was still pumped up from an overtime victory in the first game of the districts Monday.

The Bobcats scorched the nets for 18 points in the first quarter while Grayling kept turning the ball over. Wayne Ross scored four points and Paul Hamlin hit a basket for Grayling's only first quarter points.

Ross hit two more early in the second quarter and Rod Patterson began warming up connecting on two baskets. But Houghton Lake only missed once in eight possessions to go ahead by 20 points.

Grayling cut the lead to 17 by half time on four points by Patterson and two points each by Mike Hickey, Jim Stewart, and Hamlin.

In the third quarter, Grayling came alive outscoring Houghton Lake 20-10. Ross connected for two buckets, Patterson hit two buckets, Mick Lovely hit a lay-up, and then Hamlin hit four points. Patterson scored four points and Stewart added two free

throws that cut the margin to five. A costly foul with nine seconds left gave Houghton Lake two free throws and a seven point lead heading into the last eight minutes.

Although Grayling battled the entire last quarter, they lost their momentum in the first minute. Grayling's big man, Ross, collected his fifth foul hustling after a rebound in the first few seconds. Houghton Lake made two free throws and then with the big center out of the game, the Bobcats grabbed two offensive rebounds — one after a free throw — and converted four points. Houghton Lake's lead was 13 before Hickey made a basket.

Grayling made one more run at them before time ran

Dems to Caucus Sat., Mar. 17

The Michigan Democratic Party will be holding its Presidential Preference Caucuses March 17, 1984 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. These caucuses will determine the allocation of Michigan's delegates and alternates to Presidential candidates. These delegates and alternates will attend the Democratic National Convention July 16-19, 1984. The Caucuses are open to all registered voters (or 17 year olds who will be 18 and registered to vote by November 6, 1984) who declare themselves Democrats at the caucus site.

Participants will sign a Certificate listing their name, address, phone (optional) and Presidential preference in addition to certifying that they are Democrats and are registered to vote.

Actual delegates and alternates will be selected at Congressional District Conventions April 14 and at a Democratic State Central Committee meeting April 28. To participate in the April 14 meeting a person must be an elected precinct delegate or a 1983 or 1984 Michigan Democratic Party member.

Caucus location in this area is the Crawford County Courthouse Jury room County wide.

out. A basket by Patterson and one by Hickey kept the Vikings close until Patterson hit a free throw and Hamlin made a bucket with about three minutes left that cut the lead to seven. Grayling missed the next seven times down the floor.

Houghton Lake pushed the lead to ten with a minute and twenty seconds to go and the game was over. Patterson connected on a free throw, Lovely hit a basket, and Jon Nicholas scored two points to close out the scoring.

Patterson, a junior, led the team with 22 points — his high game of the year. Hamlin added 10, Ross 10, Stewart 6, Hickey 4, Lovely 4, and Nicholas 2.

Four Grayling players fouled out, Ross, Hickey, Hamlin, and Patterson, as Houghton Lake scored 17 points from 32 shots at the line to Grayling's 4 points from 14 shots.

Hickey led the defensive play for the Vikings, who finished 12-9 for the year.

It was the last game for seniors Ross, Hickey, Stewart, Hamlin, Dave Zigila, and Ken Lademan.

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Crawford County South Branch Township

ANNUAL MEETING

1:00 P.M. — MARCH 31, 1984

HEARINGS ON ALL BUDGETS AND
FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING AT
TOWNSHIP HALL, M-18.

SPECIAL MEETING

A Special Meeting of the South Branch Township Board will be held following the Annual Meeting on March 31, 1984 at the Township Hall on M-18 for the purpose of adoption of the 1984-85 Budgets.

Mary M. Mollon, Clerk

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners at their office at 320 State Street, P.O. Box 674 Grayling, Michigan until 10:00 a.m., March 23, 1984 at which time and place said bids will be publicly opened and read aloud for furnishing the following:

ONE (1) In-HOUSE COMPUTER SYSTEM AND ASSOCIATED SOFTWARE

Detailed specifications and bid forms are available at the above office. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, waive irregularities in any bid, and to make an award as may appear to be in the best interest of Crawford County.

Gloria Kraus, Chairperson
Norman F. Parker, Member
Grover Cason, Member

8-15

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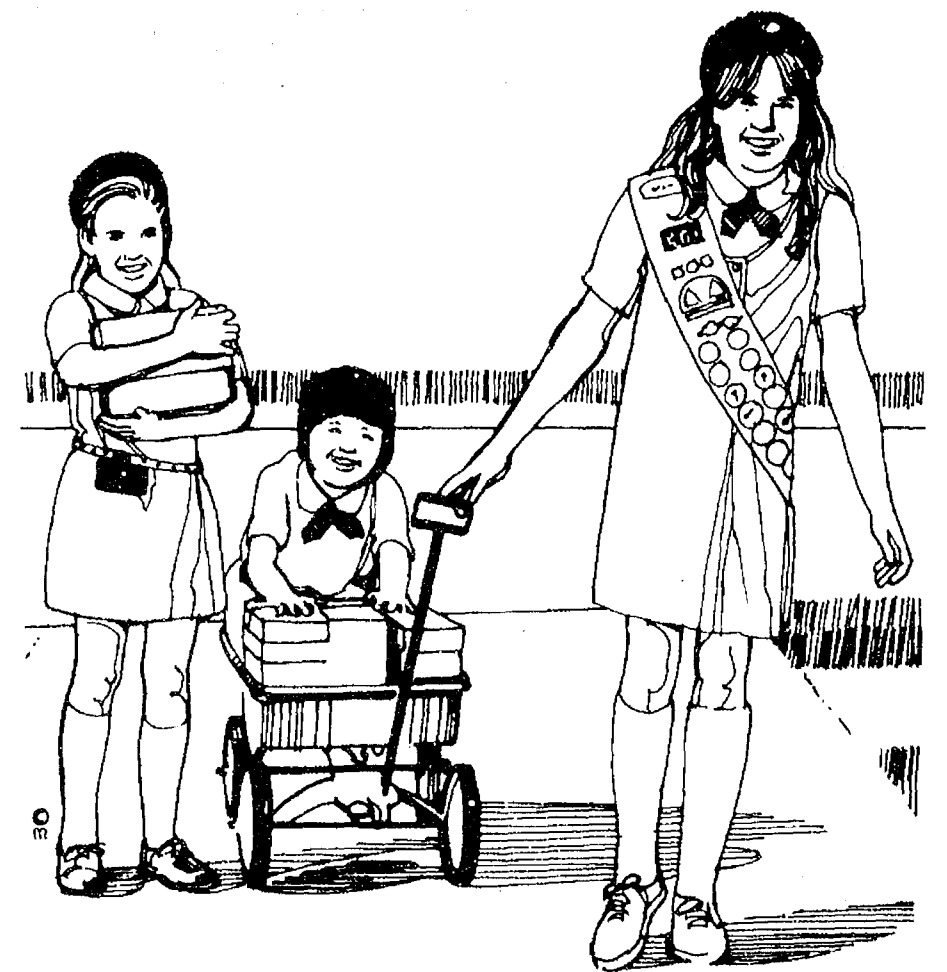
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From selling cookies to helping others, Girl Scouts are shown that active involvement and working together is fun and rewarding. We applaud the wonderful work that our Girl Scouts do!



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Looking Ahead

Girl Scouts are encouraged to explore the many career opportunities open to them as they realize their individual potential. We're proud to support the Girl Scouts of this community!



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Finch-Alma Vows Spoken



Alyce Finch and Maurice Alma were joined in Matrimony on Saturday, February 18, 1984 at five o'clock in the afternoon at the home of the grooms mother with Pastor Taylor officiating. Music was the "Wedding March."

Alyce is the daughter of Ronald Finch Sr. and Linda Kosbar of Hastings, Michigan. Maurice is the son of Maurice Alma Sr. and Sharon Alma of Frederic.

The bride was given in marriage by Jack Waters,

wore a floor length white satin gown with lace overskirt, and carried a bouquet of pastel colored silk flowers.

Tracey Beck, maid of honor wore a floor length blue gown and carried a bouquet of silk flowers.

Gary Cassidy served as best man, the groom & best man both wore blue tuxedo's.

The floral bouquets were made by the grooms sister, Candy Schrieber.

Girl Scouts Go International

The week of March 11th through the 17th is Girl Scout Week around the world. Last Sunday the Girl Scouts were recognized in the local churches in the area. Thursday evening at St. Mary's Family Center, the Crawford County Girl Scouts will join with their families and troop sponsors for an International Dinner and program. The troops have been learning about different countries where there are other Girl Scouts or Girl Guides. Eleven different countries in all are being studied. The Scouts have been busy making placemats, centerpieces and name tags about their countries. Some troops will be eating food found in their country. Everyone will eat from an International Dessert table of all different kinds of desserts.

The Girl Scout Promise will be presented in different forms. Dances learned will be shared with the families. Recognitions of the troop sponsors, the local radio stations and newspaper will take place.

Girl Scouts find a new world through Scouting. Perhaps the best part about the new world is that a girl finds the opportunity to share her delight of discovery with others. Girl Scout activities encourage friendship and teamwork and foster global awareness and understanding that link girls across the street or across the ocean.

Crawford County has an enrollment of 120 girls and 27 adults. An increase of 30 girls and 5 adults from last year. There are twelve troops of Girl Scouts which are apart of the 157,000 troops around the world. They are a part of the largest voluntary organization for girls in the world. Girl Scouts is open to all girls ages 6 through 17 (or in Grades 1 through 12) who subscribe to its ideals as stated in the Girl Scout Promise and Law. They are a part of a worldwide family of girls and adults in 104 countries through its membership in the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts. Approximately three million girls are involved in the four levels of girl membership. The four levels are Brownies - ages 6-8 (or grades 1-2-3), Juniors - ages 9-11 (or grades 4-5-6), Cadettes - ages 12-14 (or grades 7-8-9) and Seniors - ages 14-17 (grades 9-10-11-12).

Girl Scout troops are organized by Girl Scout councils which are self supported. Crawford County Girl Scouts belong to the Mitten Bay Girl Scout Council in Saginaw who administer and develop Girl Scouting in the area through Field Directors and local Service Units.

teams of volunteers interested in Girl Scouting in the county. The troops are supported by the council through United Way, Cookie Sales, Calendar Sales, and private donations. Local troop sponsors help along with troop projects like Bake Sales.

The money is used to help the Girl Scouts with their activities for patches and fun. Some of the things the Crawford County Girl Scouts had done are roller skating, parties, bowling, swimming, Shrine Circus, Mackinac Island, sleeping bags, registration for Daisy Day, the International Event, membership registration, campships, equipment and flags.

This year Scouts helped with the Xmas Canned Goods Drive, collected pet food and supplies for the Humane Society, collected items for two families who had fires and had a Mitten Tree to collect items for the needy families for Xmas.

Happy 72nd anniversary Girl Scouts of Crawford County! We are glad you have found a new world through Girl Scouting in Crawford County!

Sibs for Kids

What are you doing this Saturday? Something that you could share with some young boy or girl who needs a friend?

If you are single, or married but do not have children as yet, you could be adding a dimension to your life by spending some of your free time with a young person from a one-parent family.

We have 7 boys and 4 girls who have been on our waiting list for over a year who could benefit from a relationship with a mature responsible adult outside of their family situation.

You might want to go fishing, bowling, shopping or wash the car (if the weather warms up), something you would normally do on a Saturday - all alone - but would be more fun with a friend.

If you would like more information on the requirements of being a Big Brother or Big Sister contact the Sibs for Kids office at 348-2841 ext. 262 or stop by the office on M-72 West.

RSVP Reports

By Sherry Haag, Dir.

Welcome to news of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program. RSVP volunteers will be participating with the Arttrain as guides and artists during March 30 through April 4, 1984. More guides and artists are needed. If you'd be interested, give us a call. Arttrain is a community project and needs the support of the community. Donations to help cover costs can be sent to Gary Rousseau or Donna Masker at the Gaylord State Bank, Grayling office.

Volunteers have also been involved in several school projects. Five volunteers helped put together over 600 high school handbooks and are working on 500 for the middle school. If any other groups have handbooks or folders or envelopes that need to be folded or stuffed, give us a call.

RSVP has a beautiful 41 inch soft sculpture doll that has been donated to use as a prize. "Rhonda" is her name and tickets are available from the RSVP office for .50 cents each or 3 for \$1.00. The drawing will be held April 28, 1984, at the Community Volunteer Fun Day. Stop by the office to see "Rhonda" and her tennis shoes and purse. A big Thanks to all the ladies who helped put her together. She's wonderful!

With so many people gone for the winter, it's getting harder to fill requests. Do you have a neighbor or friend who might be interested in becoming an RSVP volunteer? Many opportunities are available. Especially needed at present, are typists or office help.

Call 348-4341 or 348-8322 if you'd like to become an RSVP member. Becoming an RSVP volunteer opens ways to use the skills and experiences you've acquired over the years.

Grayling Lioness Club Raise Money for Donation



LIONESS GIFT TO HOSPITAL — Etta Reagan, R.N., left and Natalie Tinker, L.P.N. with high-chair donated to Mercy Hospital pediatrics ward by the Grayling Lioness Club. The Lioness Club raised money for the pediatric furniture by selling homemade cookies and coffee last year during the opening weekend of trout season.

The Grayling Lioness Club marked its first year of existence March 12. The club's 25 members have remained dedicated to the future growth of the organization.

Last year shortly after being officially chartered, the members all participated in a fundraising drive the opening weekend of trout season. Two hundred dollars was raised by selling homemade cookies and coffee at the Four Mile Road rest area on I-75.

Senior Citizens

Special Program Series

For our educational meeting on Monday, March 19th, Bruce King of Mercy Hospital, Grayling, will be here at 1:30 p.m. to tell us about the new information and referral service offered by telephone to the public at large in our area.

If the educational dept. and Bruce can't give you instant answers like Tel-Med, they will research your question and contact you with an answer.

Plan to join us in the Center's main dining room at 308 Lawndale. More information is available by calling 348-9314.

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Public Hearing

The Crawford County Zoning Commission has received an application for a Special Use permit described as follows:

Req. No. 1-84 Purpose - to establish an ORV (except 4 wheel drive) repair and used snowmobile part sales in an existing building.

Location - the SE/4 of the NW/4 of Section 31, T25N R3W, Beaver Creek Township, containing 40 acres. Present Zoning - R-A (Recreation-Agricultural).

The above request will be considered at a Public Hearing, conducted by the Crawford County Zoning Commission, at their regular meeting on Wednesday, March 21, 1984 at 7:30 p.m. in the Commissioners room of the County Building.

Written comments relating to the request will be received by the County Zoning Director, Room C-107, County Building, Grayling, MI 49738 prior to the hearing date.

Bruce Jones
Zoning Director

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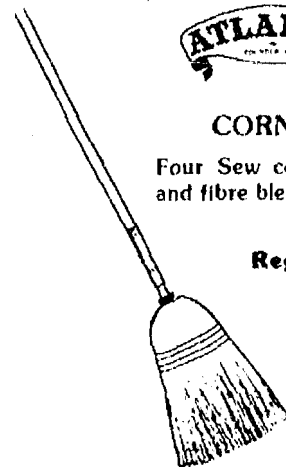
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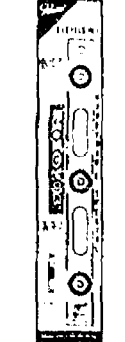
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JUNIOR DEPUTY — Mr. Tony Doremire was a guest at Grayling Elementary to talk to the Junior Deputy students about first aid. Being the director of the Crawford County Ambulance Services he mentioned a few things that deal with his job and what people should remember in case of emergencies. By Ellen Kulick, 4th grade.

Crawford County Board of Commissioners

February 23, 1984 — Regular Meeting

The February 23rd, 1984, Meeting of the County Board convened at 9:30 a.m. with all commissioners present. Twenty one visitors attended at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION, THE BOARD:

—Approved the February 7, 1984 Minutes as presented.
—Acknowledged and accepted 24 pieces of correspondence.
—Tabled action on a resolution to change the Crawford County Road Commission from an elected to an appointed body, pending review of maps designating Road Commission districts.
—Tabled for further study, any action on bids received by the Building Authority for insulating portions of the courthouse and jail ceilings. Bids received were: Peterson Construction - \$12,500.00, Furstenau Insulation - \$11,975.00, AuSable Construction - \$16,741.00 and Dandy Construction - \$13,100.00.
—Authorized members of the Planning and Zoning Commissions and Board of Appeals to attend an educational seminar at a total cost not to exceed \$300.00.

—Entered into an agreement with the MSU Cooperative Extension Service, under which the county will acquire a Columbia 256K computer, discs, a printer and computer education service for employees. The package cost is under \$5 thousand, will be used for bookkeeping and payroll, and will replace the computer service presently contracted to an outside firm.

—Held a forty minute closed session to discuss present negotiations with the AFSCME Union.

—Tabled a request from the Library Board that salaried Library employees be included under county designation in the Municipal Employees Retirement System.

—Authorized submitting 2% of Crawford's PILT funds (approximately \$162,000) to MAC to help defray cost of possible litigation to determine which local governmental unit will ultimately be entitled to these monies. Other PILT-collecting counties are being asked to do likewise.

REPORTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

—An appropriation increase is still being sought by District Health Dept. No. 1. Possible reductions in rent, programs and services were also discussed.

—Summer plans are being formulated by the Soil Conservation District.

—RC&D reported that small wood products industries are being encouraged in this area to off-set economic losses in the auto industry.

—The grid maps have been obtained from the power company; and the DNR has base maps on the computer to aid with implementation of the CoPoCo address numbering system.
—Roads & Bridges reported that some repair to Jones Lake Road is underway; a mile of road in Beaver Creek needs repair; and two new trucks have been ordered.

—HUD is pursuing a new program for landlords, rather than tenants. It would be a one-time program, requiring a 50% match and a \$5 thousand limit per unit. Applicants for home improvements are down, probably due to the age requirements for middle-income clients for most renovations except wood burners, recreation rooms and new garages.

—NEMCOG is revising its service to emphasize program implementation, rather than planning; and has retained a consultant to seek funding sources for county projects.

—The Treasurer reported that the un-audited 1983 deficit appears to be about \$78 thousand; and that the audit should begin within a few weeks.
—A new Lobby Law being implemented this year will require county personnel to document and report all time spent on lobbying efforts to the Secretary of State within three days of such activity.

DISCUSSION ITEMS INCLUDED:

—The courthouse insulation project. Specifics of the bids were reviewed; and repayment terms, time limits for the job, contractor experience and the possibility of dropping ceilings were discussed. It was pointed out the Dept. of Corrections regulations prohibited lowering of ceilings in the jail.

—A review of the lease with the Building Authority, and reasons for establishment of the Authority when the courthouse was constructed.

—NEMCOG's solid waste planning project, and alternative methods of solid waste disposal.

—The possibility of a Primary Power Company locating in Grayling Township.

—Water quality, and a septic detection system planned for Lake Margrethe this summer.

—The MAC Conference, and highlights of the workshops attended.

Meeting adjourned at 5:17 p.m.

Full text of official minutes is available in the Office of the Crawford County Clerk.

Jeannette J. Kitchen, Chairperson

Elizabeth H. Wieland, County Clerk

Road Commission Minutes

January 27, 1984

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling. Chairperson Kraus presiding. Present were: Chairperson Kraus, Commissioners Grover Cason and Norman Parker, Engineer-Manager John Keir and Acting-Secretary Joanne Turner.

The minutes of the previous meeting of January 13, 1984 were read. Commissioner Parker made a motion to accept the minutes as read, seconded by Commissioner Cason. All voted in favor, minutes approved.

Payroll Voucher Number 2 in the amount of \$28,549.96 and Material Vouchers Numbers 39 through 46 in the amount of \$23,548.56 were presented to the Board for payment. Commissioner Cason made a motion to accept the vouchers, seconded by Commissioner Parker. All voted in favor, vouchers signed.

The Board voted by ballot on the Board of Director for the County Road Association of Michigan. They also reviewed a summary sheet on direct equipment repairs.

Grader Truck Specifications were discussed and information was supplied to the Board members regarding the total cost.

A Road Name Change request was received for a portion of Babbitt Road. Engineer-Manager Keir was instructed to contact the Township Supervisor regarding this change.

Andie Neilson, Chairman of Roads & Bridges, appeared before the Board and related that a meeting is to be scheduled to discuss road name changes and a numbering system for Crawford County.

A motion was made at this time and supported to adjourn the meeting. All voted in favor, meeting adjourned.

Joanne Turner
Acting-Secretary

Gloria Kraus
Chairperson

CHURCH DIRECTORY

COPYCATS

Kathy and Kevin celebrate St. Patrick's Day... Kathy wears her green plaid dress, and Kevin his sweater with the emerald stripe. The hats are those we brought home from last night's party!

They don't really know what the day is all about. But they heard Dan singing in the shower, "the wearin' o' the green," and saw the color of the tie he placed on the door knob.

They don't miss a thing! That old saying that actions speak louder than

words is certainly true around our children. They are regular little copycats.

That's why Dan and I make it a habit to go to church every Sunday with them. We want God and His Church to be a real part of their lives, not just something they have heard about.

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501 Mich. Ave. — Grayling
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Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School 12:00 Noon

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Prayer Service Tuesday 7:30 p.m.

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Pastor, Wayne Horton
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Sunday: Church School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m.
Midweek Service, Prayer 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. V. Schupp
415 Ohio North

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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Robert F. Haskel, Pastor
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Church School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

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Pastor Robert Barnett
M-72 West

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Mid-Week Services
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Sunday: Church School 9:45 a.m.
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Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Juniors, ages 7-12 6:30 p.m.
Seniors, ages 13 & up 7:30 p.m.
Wed.: Prayer & Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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Minister H.A. Henry
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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship & Praise 11:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening Service
Winter 6:00 p.m.
Summer 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Prayer, Bible Study & Praise
Winter 6:00 p.m.
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Church Services 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Testimonials 8:00 p.m.
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Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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Pastor, Gordon Stecker
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Services held on Saturday at Camp AuSable Youth Camp, in the school building, the 1st building on the right off new entrance road.
Church Service 9:30 a.m.
Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
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Rev. Donald Roberts
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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
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Watch Study Sunday 11:00 a.m.
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Senior Choir Thurs. 7:30 p.m.

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Gordon French - Minister
Old US 27 at Skyline Rd. Ph. 348-8573.

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Communion & Preaching 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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Evening Service 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

Potluck Fellowship 2nd Sunday
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THE CHURCH OF CHRIST with the Elijah Message

Pastor Dahn Weaver
Kelly Avenue — Frederic

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Sunday School 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

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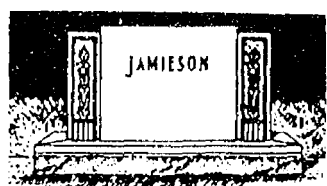


Mary Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barber, received her Specialist E-6 stripes and won a culinary award at the Fur Rendezvous Food Show at Anchorage. Morris received her E-6 stripes from General Bethke the same week she won the "Most Original" award at the food show sponsored by the Chefs de Cuisine Association of Alaska.

Morris won the award with a potato creation - a tightly woven basket with strands as thin as string. The deep-fried basket was filled with delicate flowers and took four days to prepare.

After her first place win in Alaska, Morris traveled with the Army team to Virginia where she took a first place in centerpieces among world-class competition. She won with the same potato creation.

Morris served two years in the national guard here.



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MAPLE FOREST NOTICE

Maple Forest Township will be holding an additional Board of Review meeting Wednesday, March 21, 1984, 7 - 9 p.m. at the Township Hall.

Barbara Hunter
Township Supervisor

St. Patrick's Day Jr. Pro Tournament

A ten-team Junior Pro basketball tournament will be hosted by Grayling St. Patrick's Day, March 17, at the Grayling Middle School. Six-grade all-stars from Atlanta, Gaylord, Mio, Houghton Lake, West Branch, Beaverton, Johannesburg-Lewiston, and Three Rivers will compete against Grayling for the title. The tournament will run 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children.

Spikes Place 2nd at Caylord

Spikes played three back-to-back games Monday night winning the first two and losing the last one to finish second in the Gaylord Fast-League Basketball Tournament.

Spikes defeated Haskins Trucking 53-43 after being down by six points in the third quarter to advance to the finals against Ed's Hot Oil. Spikes jumped out to a 10-0 lead against Ed's and hung on to win 67-66 forcing another game. Ed's went ahead by four at halftime in the third game, but Spikes battled back for a brief four-point lead in the third quarter. A last second shot gave Ed's an eight-point lead going into the final frame and Spikes could only cut the lead to six once losing 63-56.

Spikes played two games Sunday before advancing to Monday's finals. They defeated Mark One 60-55 after being behind by six at half. In the second game Ed's ran over Spikes 75-53.

In the first game Sunday against Mark One, Jim Tobin led the scoring for Spikes with 13, Bruce Burkett had 10, Dale Papendick 10, Brad Trenary 10, Jon Thompson 9, Mike Foley 6, and Barry Ewing 2. In the second game Sunday against Ed's, Papendick led with 12 points, Tobin, Trenary, and Thompson added 10 each, Dwight Walker had 6, Ewing 3, and Burkett 2. In the first game Monday against Haskins, Trenary led with 13, Burkett had 12, Walker 10, Papendick 8, John Juntilla 8, and Thompson 2. In the first game Monday against Ed's, Trenary led with 23, Burkett had 12, Papendick 10, Walker and Thompson 8 each, Juntilla 4, and Foley 2. In the last game against Ed's Monday night, Trenary led with 19, Papendick and Thompson had 10 each, Burkett and Walker 6 each, and Juntilla 5.

Dwight Walker led the defense for Spikes playing in all 120 minutes Monday night.

In final regular season play Thursday, Spikes defeated Haskins 75-58 with Burkett hitting for 25, Thompson 13, Walker 12, Tobin 9, and Papendick and Ewing 8 each.

Pool League

Red Barn.....101
Legion.....101
Spikes.....89
Plaza.....69

Frederic Hobby Club

The Ladies of the Frederic Hobby Club are going to celebrate their 30th anniversary on Monday, March 26th. There will be a dinner and games. We are asking that the ladies that used to belong to our club to please come. Would be nice to get together and reminisce about the good old days. It will be at the old Sportsman's hall in Frederic. If you are coming please call one of these numbers 348-8364 or 348-8365. The dinner will be at 6:00 p.m.

Corres. Sec'y.
Thelma Rivers

Grayling Bumped Out Of Volleyball Action

Grayling outdueled Charlevoix 15-17, 15-8, and 15-8 in the opening round of District play before falling 15-0, 15-11 to eventual district champ Rogers City. Rogers City also won the Michigan Huron Shores Conference. Grayling

American Legion Auxiliary News

By Laurie Jensen
P.R. Director

Just a little reminder ladies that our monthly meeting is tonight (Wednesday) down at the Post. We would love to see more of you out and in attendance. Just think we only meet once a month. We could use your thoughts and ideas. Hope to see you there!!!

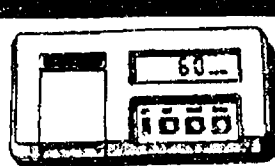
We received an application from two young ladies for a National Scholarship. Unfortunately, we can only send in one application for each unit. It was a very hard decision to make but after much consideration we sent in Karla A. Dosh's application. Congratulations and much good luck to you Karla. To our other applicant, Victoria Marie Mahaney congratulations must also go out. You made it a very hard choice Victoria. On the subject of Dept. scholarship's, Victoria, Karla and Shawn Lovely have put in an application. I hear that there may be more putting in applications for a department scholarship. When there are further details, I will let you know.

We have another one of those famous Feather Bingo's coming up. It was decided last week that this will be held on Sunday, April 15 from 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. This is the Sunday before Easter. Remember the famous turkey salad sandwiches from our last feather bingo? They will be back by popular demand. When there are further details available, I will let you know.

Don't forget about our Legion Birthday Party coming up this Saturday night. I hope to see many of you out for this annual party.

Remember the question I asked about Goldie last week? We have her and many others wondering where she was on October 31, 1986 and what she was doing. I will give you a hint, it has to do with the Legion.

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Healthcare Aids

finished third for the year in the conference.

Against Charlevoix, Denise Campeau led in serving with 17 good serves. Melissa McEvers hit 15 across, Lisa LaMotte and Shelly Trenary 12 each, and Kathy Worden had 10 good serves.

Melissa McEvers led in spikes with 15 of 16 and Shelly Trenary hit 14 out of 16. Kathy Worden led the team with five blocks.

Shannon Kraycs, Deanna Hubbard, and Dawn Phelps led the squad in courtplay. Raean McEvers and Rochelle Campeau didn't see action in the districts but

Doodles From The Tall Timber

Wendell L. Hoover
Park interpreter

Many people have a strong dislike for the common bat, and I am not referring to that stick of wood that puts the ball over the outfield fence. Many people also dislike moths, but the bat and the moth go together like bread and butter.

The bat is designed to catch the moth, and the moth is designed to avoid the bat. The bat sends out ultra-high frequency sounds of 100,000 vibrations per second. The bat's nose is shaped like a radar screen which sends and aims those sounds while the bat's ears receive and interpret the signals. The moth, on the other hand, has to avoid the bat and it does this by taking evasive action when its ears pick up the high frequency sounds of the bat. When the bat closes to within about six feet, the moth folds its wings and tumbles to the ground. Research has shown that on the average the bat catches the moth six times out of ten as it tumbles to the ground. The bat either caught the moth in its mouth or netted it with a wing. The batting average for the bats is pretty good, but it is the moths which escaped that carry the answers to the way the game will be played in the future. By having and using slightly more superior equipment, those moths which survive will generate offspring so equipped. As much time passes, both the bat and the moth will improve their abilities: one to dodge, the other to catch.

13 Crawford Co. Avalanche Thurs., Mar. 15, 1984

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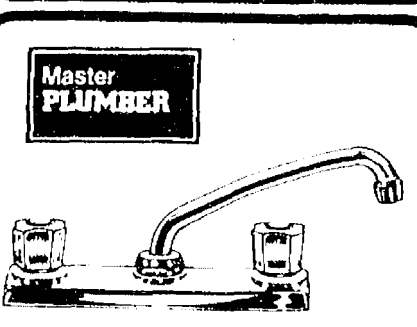
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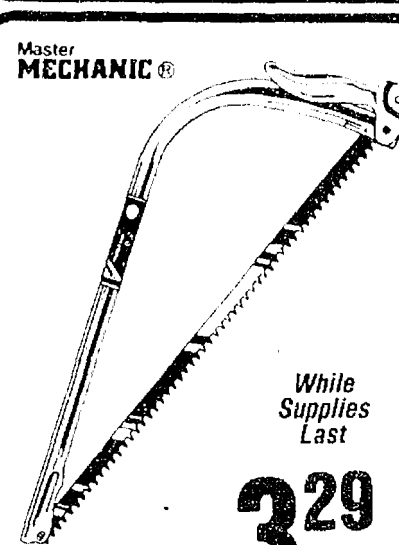
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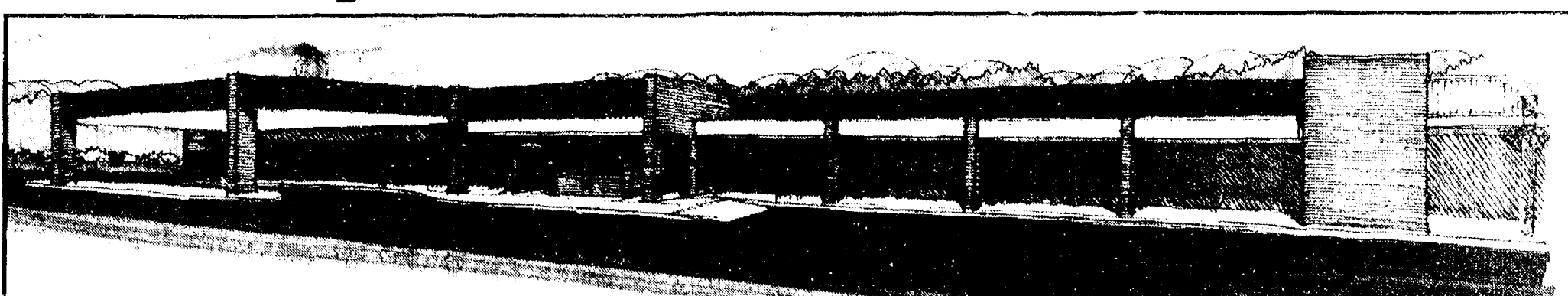
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Election Notice
Election will be held June 11, 1984,
To fill two seats on the Kirtland
Community College Board of Trustees.
Terms of office to be filled are both six-
year terms expiring June 30, 1990. Nominating
petitions may be picked up from Mrs. Pauline
Cournier in the President's Office, Administra-
tion Center, Kirtland Community College, Ros-
common, Michigan; and must be returned to
Mrs. Cournier at the same address, by 4:00
p.m. April 24, 1984.
s/Pauline Y. Cournier
Recording Secretary for
Kirtland Community College Board of Trustees

Important Notice To Delinquent Taxes
BECAUSE THE LIST OF DELINQUENT TAX LANDS
FOR TAX SALE ADVERTISING MUST NECESSARILY
BE MADE UP SEVERAL MONTHS AHEAD OF TIME IN
ORDER TO GET IT IN THE PRINTER'S HANDS,
SEVERAL DESCRIPTIONS ARE LISTED IN THE
CRAWFORD COUNTY LIST ON WHICH TAXES HAVE
BEEN PAID.

**IF YOUR TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID
YOUR LAND CANNOT BE SOLD
IN THE MAY 1st TAX SALE.**
If you have not paid your taxes and your land is list-
ed for sale, you must pay at any time until Friday,
April 27th.
WE SHALL BE GLAD TO ANSWER ANY OTHER
QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE ABOUT THE TAX SALE
HERE AT THE TREASURER'S OFFICE.

Joseph V. Wakeley
CRAWFORD COUNTY TREASURER

Middle School News

Advanced Studies

On Wednesday, February 1, 1984 the Advanced Studies students from the middle school traveled to the Abrams Planetarium in Lansing. They saw where the sun, planets and stars were located during certain times of the year. The chaperones were RaeAnn Schanz, Ruby Peterson, Diane Klemp and Mary Wright. Also, Mrs. Gayle Mills teacher for the class was a chaperone. By Tracy Schanz 7th grade.

Special Education

Students in language are developing writing skills by locating and writing topic and detail sentences. They are collecting Glen's tapes for a spring trip. If anyone would like to donate their Glen's tapes, please leave them in the main office.

Problem Solving Classes

This class has begun working on a slide presentation dealing with Alcohol use by teens. They will be taking surveys among students and

interviewing many people about this issue. The slide presentation will be given to the library for use by other teachers and students. Mrs. Ellen Thompson is the teacher for the class.

Library News

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A new Sylvania TV receiver was purchased for use with a computer. This was a combined effort of the science classes who sold poster calendars and the library fine fund. The money received from library fines are put directly back into library materials such as books, records, or filmstrips. Through the efforts of the 6th grade class of last year we received a computer, this was done through jewelry sales. This combination of classes working together gives us a complete set. The computer is available to all students for use in the library. The students enjoy this hands on activity. They have immediate feedback on a project they are doing. The middle school librarian is Mrs. Pat Failing.

Art Classes

The 8th grade art classes are completing a section on folk art, especially concentrating on Grandma Moses. Students have just finished memory painting.

The seventh grade art classes have just finished making string prints, and they are beginning simple perspective drawing.

Release Time

Release time for middle school students at St. Mary's for the month of March will be from 1:05 p.m. until 2:18 p.m. on Tuesdays.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ACQUISITION OF A BANK BY CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORPORATION
(A Bank Holding Company)

Notice is hereby given by the Applicant, Chemical Financial Corporation, Midland, Michigan, that it will apply to the Federal Reserve Board pursuant to Section 3 of the Bank Holding Company Act for acquisition of shares of a bank. The Applicant intends to acquire 52,000 (100%) of the outstanding shares of Northern National Bank, Grayling, Michigan.

The public is invited to submit written comments on this application to the Federal Reserve Board at the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, 230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690. The comment period on this application will not end before April 8, 1984. Call Applications Division of the Supervision and Regulation Department at (312) 322-6149 at the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago to find out if you have additional time for submitting comments on this application or if you need more information about submitting comments. The Federal Reserve will consider comments, including requests for a public meeting or formal hearing on the application, if they are received by the Federal Reserve Bank during the comment period.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 28th day of August 1980, by DENNIS J. & RENEE R. VanANTWERP, husband and wife as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on September 2, 1980, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 189 of mortgages on pages 522-525; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Twenty eight thousand two hundred and eighty seven Dollars (\$28,020.87) principal and Six thousand five hundred thirty and 53/100 Dollars (\$530.53) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on April 25, 1984 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Front Steps (East Side) of the Court-house in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit: That property located in Crawford County, in the State of Michigan, Lots 18, 19, and 20, Block 1 of Karen Woods Subdivision, Grayling Township, County of Crawford. The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus 11 1/2% interest and unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. Dated March 14, 1984. For additional information, please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting through Farmers Home Administration, Room 209, 1405 South Harrison Road, East Lansing, Michigan 48823, Mortgagee.

Notice of Public Sale

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to a Decree of Foreclosure entered by the Honorable William A. Porter, Circuit Judge for Crawford County, Michigan, on February 21, 1984, the following described parcels of real estate will be sold at public sale by the Sheriff of Crawford County at the Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan, at 2:00 PM on Friday, May 18, 1984.

A. Lot 17, Plat of Warbler's Hideaway, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 12, Crawford County Records;

B. Lots 501 and 606, Plat of Warbler's Hideaway No. 4, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 24, Crawford County Records;

C. Lots 189 and 190, Plat of Northern Heights, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 27, Crawford County Records; and

D. Lots 343 and 344, Plat of Northern Heights No. 2, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Pages 36 through 37, Crawford County Records.

Lots will be sold "as is" and without any representation as to marketability of title and/or obligation to pay delinquent taxes.

MORGAN & FUZAK, P.C.
Ronald G. Morgan
Attorneys for Warbler's Hideaway Association
200 Woodland Pass, Suite B
E. Lansing, MI 48823
Tele: (517) 361-6011
Dated: February 22, 1984
-1-8-15-22-29-5-

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
TO the Owner or Owners of any and all Interests in, or Liens upon the Lands herein described:

TAKE NOTICE: that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with 50 per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges: Provided That with respect to purchasers at the tax sale held in the years 1938, 1939 and 1940 the sum stated in such notice as a condition of reconveyance shall only be all sums paid as a condition of the tax title purchase, together with 10 per centum additional thereto. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Roscommon
All that part of W 1/2 of SW 1/4 lying North of U.S. 27, Section 18, Town 25 North, Range 3 West, Beaver Creek Township. Amount Paid \$29.64 tax for 1979.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$44.46 plus the fees of the Sheriff, \$20.59.
John W. Ransom
c/o Conlin, Conlin, McKenney & Philbrick
700 City Center Bldg.
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104-1994

To William H. & Rita Chatter last known address Box 782-C Roscommon, MI 48663.
-8-15-22-29-

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Circuit Court For The County of Crawford
Harold M. Guedry, a Single Man, Plaintiff,

vs.
Danny Kosbar and Linda K. Kosbar, Husband and Wife, Defendants.

File No. 83-006-695-CH
Alton T. Davis (P24472)
Attorney for Plaintiff

Order to Answer, and authorizing issuance of second summonses, pursuant to MGCRA 1963, 102.4

At a session of said Court, held in the City of Grayling, Michigan, this 21st day of February, 1984.

Present: The Honorable William A. Porter, Circuit Judge.

On the 25th day of August, 1983, an action was filed by Harold M. Guedry, a Single Man, Plaintiff, against Danny Kosbar and Linda K. Kosbar, Husband and Wife, Defendants, in this Court and cause, to foreclose a certain Land Contract, dated the 14th day of July, 1980, said property being described as:

Maple Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan
Parcel L: The S 1/2 of the S 1/2 of the N 1/2 of the S 1/2 of Section 21, T28N, R3W, according to survey, and containing 10.3 acres, more or less. Survey recorded at Liber 144, Page 209.

Excepting and reserving all gas, oil and mineral rights, and storage thereof.

Excepting and reserving all rights of ingress and egress across existing trail roads.

Subject to restrictions, reservations and easements of record.

It has further been demonstrated that the initial Summonses in this cause will expire on February 21, 1984, and Plaintiff's counsel has, without opposition, requested authority of this Court to authorize issuance of a second Summons(es) for a period of time not to exceed One (1) Year from the date the Complaint was filed; and

The Court being fully advised in the premises:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that second Summonses shall issue in this Court and cause, and shall be effective for a period of time not to exceed One (1) Year from the date of filing the Complaint in this cause; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Defendants, Danny Kosbar and Linda K. Kosbar, Husband and Wife, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law, on or before the 23rd day of April, 1984. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against said Defendants for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court and cause.

William A. Porter
Circuit Judge
-1-8-15-22-

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Business Directory

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Your Want Ad Paper

Bowling Leagues

PIONEER LEAGUE	
1. Dawson's	27
2. Northern National Bank	23 1/2
3. Terry & Dave's 76	23 1/2
4. Millikin Construction	23
5. Cornell Agency	23
6. Avalanche	17
7. Main Street Florals	14
8. Skip's Sport Shop	9
High Game: S. Harney 211, P. D'Amour 204, B. Worden 193.	
High Series: S. Harney 558, N. Gingerick 546, J. Wiltse 524.	
SENIOR CITIZENS	
1. Doran	59 1/2
2. Cornell Ins.	59 1/2
3. ProMart	59
4. NNB	55
5. Great Lakes	51
6. Grayling Restaurant	44
7. Larry & Joan	40
8. R & H Sports	32
High Series: B. Burrick 528, E. Wilde 510, D. Farmer 506.	
High Game: M. Carrievau 202, D. Farmer 199, B. Burrick 194.	
High Series: D. Bellanger 506, B. Cline 467, R. Reetz 454.	
High Game: D. Bellanger 192, R. Reetz 186, B. Cline 177.	
NORTHWOOD LEAGUE	
1. Fred's Auto Body	29
2. Comfort Center	29
3. Milltown Traders	29
4. Legion Rollers	23 1/2
5. Laurines	23
6. Bubbles Belles	23
7. Helsels Firewood	21 1/2
8. D.J. Electronics	17
High Game: C. Montgomery 187, G. VanNuck 186, S. Phillips 175.	
High Series: S. Phillips 497, J. Hinds 476, C. Montgomery 457.	
AMERICAN 1st DIV.	
1. JoAnn's Fudge	22
2. Mac's Drugs	16
3. Schans Plumbing	15
4. Legion Lanes	13 1/2
5. 7-Eleven	12
6. Team No. 2	11
7. Legion Post 106	9 1/2
8. Glen's Mkt.	9
High Series: B. DeHart 597, L. Davis 567, B. Blacken 559.	
High Game: B. Blacken & B. DeHart 224, J. Helsel 221, R. Helsel 211.	
NATIONAL 1st DIV.	
1. Millikin	23
2. Spikes	22
3. Red Barn	21
4. Dan & Maggies	17 1/2
5. Legion Lounge	17
6. Bear's Country Inn	17
7. Eagles	16 1/2
8. Carlisle Paddle	10
High Game: H. Jacobs 215, D. Smock 201, L. LaMotte 199.	
High Series: T. Barr 582, L. LaMotte 549, D. Smock 533.	
TRIANGLE LEAGUE	
1. Milltown Party Store	109 1/2
2. 7-Eleven	95
3. Kerry's Taxidermy	91
4. Parson's Advertising	90 1/2
5. Glen's Mkt.	90
6. Jack the Tinner	86 1/2
7. Davis Jewelers	72
8. D & J Electronics	69
High Series: T. Barr 540, J. Diener 530, M. Friske 507.	
High Game: M. Friske 215, H. Baker 197, B. Cincinnati 197.	
AMERICAN 2nd DIV.	
1. Stewart Sandwich	25
2. Pineview Surplus	25
3. Wiltse Carpet	24 1/2
4. Skip's Sport Shop	24
5. Holiday Inn	21
6. Scheer Motor	18
7. American Legion	14
8. McLean's ProMart	8 1/2
High Game: J. Cherven 212, L. Guntun 212, T. Ockerman 208.	
High Series: J. Cherven 597, D. Donaldson 579, D. Lizon 555.	
SUNDAY AFTERNOON LEAGUE	
1. Grayling Moose Club	24
2. Legion Lanes	23
3. Spikes	22
4. River Rats	20
5. Dee's Ice	19
6. Video Room	19
7. Grayling Restaurant	16
8. D.J. Electronics	13
High Series: J. Diener 526, M. Harwood 449, J. Blaine 442.	
High Game: J. Diener 203 & 172, J. Blaine 171, M. Harwood 164.	
High Series: B. Lovely 384, K. Dawson 382, R. Anderson 382.	
High Game: K. Ashton 152, R. Anderson 148, K. Dawson 141.	
NITEOWL MIXED DOUBLES	
1. Rochette's IGA	32
2. R & H Sports	26 1/2
3. Miller-Johnson	20 1/2
4. Essence of Beauty	17
High Series: B. Pryor 528, G. Sampsel 486, V. Hatfield 477.	
High Game: B. Pryor 200, N. Steffes 189, V. Hatfield 173.	
High Series: D. Miller 528, B. Pryor 527, J. Sampsel 512.	
High Game: D. Miller 202, D. Hudson 195, J. Sampsel 192.	

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. observes the 72nd anniversary of its founding on March 12, 1912; and

WHEREAS, since 1912 Girl Scouting has helped more than 46 million members discover new worlds; and

WHEREAS, the movement reaffirms its commitment to work for global understanding and world friendship among all peoples; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting today helps girls prepare for the world of tomorrow; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scout Week will be celebrated by the Girl Scouts of our community from March 11 to 17;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sandy Thompson, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of Grayling, hereby proclaim March 11 through 17, 1984, as Girl Scout Week in Grayling.

I do further call upon all citizens of Grayling to give their continued interest, cooperation and support to the Girl Scouts through 1984.

Gordon Sandy Thompson, Mayor

Rochette

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"Lottie" Rochette

took over the manager position last April from Arnie Mauren, who held it for 23 years.

Rochette has four children, Brenda 16, Scott 13, Aimee 11, and Lynne 7.

Swiss Steak Dinner April 7

The Booster Club will be having their annual Swiss Steak Dinner on April 7 at Patty's Country House. Serving will be from 4:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Records Broken at Archery Shoot

Five Straits Field Archery Association records were set or broken in recent shoots held at the Grayling Archery Club. The following records were broken or set by classification:

In Men's PRO Freestyle a record perfect score was shot by Chuck Thompson of Houghton Lake. He shot a 300 with 52 spots breaking his old record. Chuck is the President of the Straits Field Archery Association and Vice-president of Club Affairs of the Grayling Archery Club.

In Men Amateur Freestyle Limited, Robin Scurr of Kirtland set a new record with a score of 257. In women's Freestyle Limited, Kathie Piper of Grayling broke her old record with a score of 262. In Women's Amateur Freestyle Limited a new record was set by Karen Farquhar of Kirtland (238). In boys Junior Freestyle Limited, Jay Dannenberg of Grayling, broke his old record with a score of 289.

Following the State Michigan Archers Association shoot in Buchanan, MI, and the Nationals in Omaha, Nebraska, the Straits Field Archery Association will have participants in the State FITA Tournament in Saginaw. Regular Association shooting will resume 3-25-84, preceding the FITA tournament.

The Straits Field Archery Association is a regional affiliate of the Michigan Archers Association. Most of the shoots are held at the Grayling Archery Club in Grayling. For more information on the Association call: Cynde Thompson, Secretary-Treasurer, P.O. Box 398, Houghton Lake, MI 48629, or call 517-366-8471.



LIONS EXCHANGE PROGRAM—Enrique Saldivar Boangel, from Peru, spent six weeks with Jeannine and Kenneth Eggert as part of the Lions of Michigan Youth Exchange Program. Lions officer Robert Praise says the Lions Club will try to send two GHS students each summer to other countries through the exchange program.

Exchange Bits by Fay Bovee

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ing the two schools, he found the Grayling High School to be about the same or more difficult than his home town school.

Enrique tried cross-country skiing here and said the cold weather he ran into will definitely be one of the most memorable features of his visit.

The Lions Club of Grayling will be sending two GHS students to other countries this summer. Brenda Praise will be traveling to Peru and Kris Larson will be traveling to Denmark.

Artrain Guides

There will be a training session for the Artrain guides, Artist & Docents on Thursday, March 22nd at 10:00 a.m. at the county building. All persons interested, please attend.

Par For The Course

By Fay Bovee

My spies have not reported anyone out there on the course yet, but with those two and one half weeks of thaw and the beautiful sunny days, it's hard to believe that some of our hardy souls did not get out. Winter came again and so did the club news.

Membership applications are out with no raise in dues. If you have not received an application and are interested, write Grayling Country Club, P.O. Box 529, Grayling, MI 49738.

President Robert Schwarz says that Gordon Cheyne will be back as manager with Cheri Cadeau as his assistant while Bill Post will be in charge of starting, patrolling the course, and overseeing the driving range.

Included in the calendar of events for the year are the April 20 Opening and Happy Hour, the Ladies League Organizational Meeting on April 24 and the Opening Party on May 5. The Men's League starts on May 1 and the Women's on May 9. Unless we have a blizzard which isn't predicted, everything should go according to schedule, since there is only a bare covering of snow left here today.

Bits by Fay Bovee

Captain James R. (Randy) Cook appeared on NBC's "First Camera" program Sunday night. Capt. Cook is the husband of the former Sandy Millikin, daughter of Floyd & Betty Millikin of Grayling. He is stationed at Fort McClellan, Alabama.

Amy Denton, 7th grade and Mona Stancil, 9th grade will be leaving March 14th for Oakland University's "Dance Division" in Rochester to audition for the New York ballet. They will be notified by mail if they are accepted. Good luck Amy and Mona.

T.U. Celebrates

100 Years of Brown Trout

The West Michigan Trout Unlimited Chapter is sponsoring a Centennial Observation of the introduction of brown trout in North America waters. One hundred years ago this spring, brown trout were planted in the Pere Marquette River near Baldwin.

On Saturday, April 14, a reenactment of the original planting will be held at 11 a.m. at the Shrine of the Pines Park, just south of Baldwin. A luncheon will follow featuring a presentation of T.U.'s study on the Pere Marquette and a keynote address by DNR Director Ronald Skoog.

Women's Aglow

The Grayling Women's Aglow will be meeting Saturday, March 17, at St. Mary's Family Center on Spruce St. in Grayling. The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. with refreshments. From 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. the ladies will join in song and worship.

Our special speaker for this month will be Ron Larson. Ron is a lay leader at the Grayling Free Methodist Church and has done a considerable amount of public speaking. He is sure to bring us a message that will encourage and bless. All of the area ladies are invited to attend.

The Avalanche — Your Want Ad Paper

Crawford County

Trailriders' Club

The owners of Meadowview Horse Ranch in Beaver Creek Twp. would like to establish a Trailriders' Club. With all the available State Land, it would be a pleasant activity and could be expanded by inviting clubs from other counties.

If you are interested in such a club, please contact 348-9146 after 5 p.m. If enough people are interested, a "Get Acquainted Meeting" will be scheduled.

Little League Need Volunteers

The Grayling Little League is in desperate need of volunteer help for the coming season. Coaches and umpires are especially needed at this time.

Without additional adult help there is a possibility that some portions of the Little League program may not be run this season.

Any men or women who are interested please call Larry Akers at 348-8875 after 5 p.m.

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Mar. 15 - St. Patrick Lunch/Card Party - Chief Shoppe-nagons - 12:00 Noon - sponsored by Mercy Hospital Auxiliary
Mar. 15 - Community Awareness Night - Organ Procurement Agency - 7:30 p.m. - Holiday Inn
Mar. 17 - Legion Birthday Party - Legion Hall - Grayling - 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.
Mar. 18 - Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner - St. Mary's Family Center - 12:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. - sponsored by the Knights of Columbus
Mar. 28 - Blood Pressure Clinic - Mercy Hospital 3:30-7:30 p.m.
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